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THE COUNTRY MAIDEN AND THE
DUDE.

He was a heavy swell,
A dude of high degree;
An aristocratic maid,
Quite contrary bred, was she.

"The summa is a bore,"
Sighed he, "I know,
But I can't help it, I know,
And will it please you?"

"But then light clothes become
Me; no can't forget
It brings the cool and quite
Too awfully incommode."

From headless head to sharp
Toed shoe, the maiden eyed
Him over, as some strange thing;
Then earnestly replied:

"Come, the chief of this
Attractions without number
Are on and on the quite
Too awfully incommode."

Duke's Remorse.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 11.—A
lengthy statement, left by N. L.
Dukes, who killed Capt. Nutt at
Uniontown, Pa., and who was subse-
quently slain by Nutt's son, has
been unearthed. First he gives
with the utmost minuteness his ac-
count of the struggle in his room
in which Nutt was killed, and
claims that Nutt was the aggressor
in every phase. When he comes
to consider the letters he wrote he
says: "I was legally guiltless of
taking Capt. Nutt's life, and well
I knew it, and the jury very pro-
perly so found. The matters
which led to the hostile encounter
were well known, and need not be
referred to except incidentally.—
When I wrote that first letter to
Capt. Nutt I committed a most ap-
palling blunder. It was the per-
sonification of stupidity, and the
remorse of a lifetime will be in-
adequate expiation for the error.—
When I look back upon it in the
light of developments I can scarce-
ly resist the conclusion that I was
laboring under temporary insanity.
But here the matter ends. I would
not believe in my total depravity
and abandoned villainy if every
faucet minister in the land howled
it from the pulpit and platform
until he were blind and every hair-
brained editor in existence should
he about it to all eternity. True,
Capt. Nutt is dead. This fact can
fall upon no heart with more crush-
ing force than upon my own. I
had no more malice against the
man than against my own mother.
Why should I have? He never
wronged me. No man respected
him more than I, and no man
reverses his memory more than I
do now. The images of the dis-
consolate widow and the helpless
orphan children raise up before me
like accusing spirits, and if such a
thing were possible gladly would I
lie down in this man's grave and
restore him to his desolate family.
Could I have known the termina-
tion of this wretched affair, how
much better would it have been for
me to have sacrificed my life's hap-
piness and self-respect upon the
altar of pacification. But I foolishly
thought I was doing Capt.
Nutt a cruel kindness and taking a
stand for the preservation of my
own honor. Since then I have
concluded that honor is a delusion
and a mockery. My enemies teach
that the whole matter was a deep-
laid scheme; that I deliberately
ruined the daughter and then killed
him. What motive could I have
in such a scheme? Sensible peo-
ple will see that I am merely the
victim of circumstances and my
own folly. One thing grew out of
another, according to the law of
cause and effect, until the homi-
cide was the result of a contest for
survivorship. But am I alone re-
sponsible for this great mountain of
woe? Is there no one who should
share a portion of the burden?—
The party who can answer these
questions will ever remain silent."

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its weight is five grammes. Five
of them placed in a row will give
the length of a decimeter, and two
of them will weigh a decagramme.
As a kiloliter is a cubic meter, the
key of the measure is also a key to
a measure of capacity.

Dallas, Texas, has an able deputy
sheriff. A prisoner escaped from the
court room by leaping from a
second story window. The tele-
graph tells us that he was "soon
recaptured" by the able sheriff.—
And when we peruse the story a
little farther, and discern that the
prisoner, in his impact with the
ground, had broken a leg and sev-
eral ribs, and seriously injured his
spinal column, we can readily be-
lieve that the able deputy sheriff
really did recapture him "soon."

Proposed Abduction of the President.

Camp Buffalo Lake (W. T.) spe-
cial to Chicago Tribune.—There
are those who predict that an effort
will be made by Indians or bands
of robbers which are thick around
here now to seize Mr. Arthur, carry
him into the mountain fast-
nesses and hold him for ransom.—
The oldest stage-driver the Tribune
correspondent has met is certain
an attempt will be made, and
thinks if conducted rightly the at-
tempt will succeed.

A report is current that the Ad-
jutant general of the United States
army has called upon the states for
information concerning the militia
and the "time necessary to put an
army of organized forces of 200,000
men in the field." It is surmised
that a difficulty is likely to arise
with Mexico, and that the govern-
ment wants soldiers in readiness.
In the event of a war of this kind,
President Arthur would be sure of
a re-election, and another slice of
Mexican territory would probably
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Uses of Lumber.

Northwestern Lumberman: It is
interesting to study the changes
which are continually taking place
in the use of lumber. White pine,
which is king in the lumber world,
is being jostled considerably in its
very home. Yellow pine is crowd-
ing its way in, and hardwoods are
receiving more of a recognition
from year to year. The use of
maple for flooring, and other hard-
woods for finishing has passed be-
yond any experiment. It takes no
effort to remember when walnut
was the principal hardwood used,
and that for furniture. "Finished
in hardwood" is a comparatively
new phrase, but one that is bound
to be in mens' mouths more and
more as time goes on. Perhaps the
most notable change which
has occurred has been in red oak.
From an utter valueless wood, it
has taken a place up toward the
head of the class. Its beauty was
not until recently discovered, or
rather that beauty was not duly
considered until hardwoods for
finishing became popular. The
opinion has been expressed in cer-
tain directions that in time soft-
woods will again become the
fashion, and the ingenuity of the
grainer and the painter again called
into service. It is unreason-
able to look for such a change.—
Art is always a poor imitator of
nature, and the more refined the
world grows the better it will un-
derstand this. No one can turn
from the grain of natural wood to
that produced with brush and paint
except with a feeling of disappoint-
ment, and no one can take notice
of the indentures in doors and
window frames, made by the inno-
cent but ruthless hands of children,
without wishing that the surface
of the wood were less easily marred.
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Chippewa Considerations.

William Bouza, one of the rep-
resentatives of the Chippewa tribes
of Indians, including six reserva-
tions, was in St. Paul on Friday
last bearing instructions to Gen.
Sibley, Ex-Gov. Marshall and Rev.
Mr. Gillilan, to the effect that a
general council had been held at
Leech Lake on the 24th of August to
consider the question of having
the dam built on Leech Lake and
the Mississippi river. At the
council the chiefs and head men
decided not to have any dam built
until their rights were settled.—
They also decided that, instead of
one-half their dues being sent, the
whole amount be sent for the year;
also that money be furnished to
pay the expense of a deputation of
Indians to visit Washington before
next fall. They also complain that
the new law book or regulations
sent them a few days ago is too
strict and cannot be enforced.—
They also ask that a new overseer,
school teacher and interpreter be
appointed. All these requests were
embodied in a letter from Mr.
Bouza to Hon. Hiram Price, com-
missioner of Indian affairs at
Washington, D. C., asking that
authority be granted for a delega-
tion to visit Washington to settle
all pending questions, and stating
that the Indians are very anxious
to have the question of damages
caused by the reservoir dams set-
tled immediately, and want an
answer right away at Leech Lake.

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truth may prove to be. Old Peter
Goelet, who lived alone in Broad-
way above Union square, and pas-
tured a cow and kept poultry in
his front yard, was always sup-
posed to have been a bachelor, and
when he died in 1879 his nephews,
Robert and Ogden, inherited his
millions. Now appears a woman
calling herself Mrs. George Myers,
and says that Peter Goelet was her
father, and she wants his money.
The story is that Goelet lived in
Indiana for four years, was mar-
ried there in 1846, and that in 1847
this daughter was born to him.—

His wife died three weeks after
giving birth to the child, which
was then left with a family named
McElwee. Being childless they
afterward convinced Goelet that
the child was dead, and brought it
up as their own. It is easy to see
that here is a chance for a costly
and sensational lawsuit, and the
temper of the parties seems to in-
dicate that such will be the result.
A New York lawyer seems to be
at the bottom of the case, and he
claims to have been recently work-
ing upon it for three years before
he found the heir.

NEWS COMMENTS.

A son of W. H. Vanderbilt is
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A curious well in Missoula coun-
ty contains but eighteen inches of
water, which never lowers an inch,
though water is constantly pump-
ed from it to supply a steam boiler.
At a depth of thirty feet solid ice
forms around the pipe in the hot-
test weather. As a strong draft of
air comes from the bottom the well
is supposed to tap a subterranean
channel.

It is stated that the North Pacific
company has under its right of
way, taken possession of the lime
deposit located by Larabee, Irvine,
O'Bannon and Hagan, at McCarty's
bridge, and that the Montana
improvement company has a large
force of men at work there, getting
out lime for the Missoula railroad
buildings. The deposit is from a
thermal spring of vast area, and is
almost chemically pure.—Living-
ston M. T., Pioneer.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Northfield now has a telephone
exchange.

The Farmers' hotel at Hastings
has been destroyed by fire.

Fires are reported in the pine
woods in the northern part of the
state.

The saloon of Ole Knudson of
Albert Lea was burglarized Friday
night.

A Commandery of Knight Tem-
plars will be started in Redwood
Falls.

An organized gang of thieves are
visiting the towns along the North-
ern Pacific.

Mrs. L. May Wheeler is lecturing
in the southern part of the state
on woman suffrage.

St. Cloud is to have a wagon
manufacturing company with a
capital stock of \$50,000.

The Buckman house of Sauk
Rapids has been leased to Messrs.
Buckham and Magner.

Dunn, the defaulting treasurer
of Watonwan county, is supposed to
be in South America.

John Murphy, wanted at Winona
for larceny, has been arrested at
Clinton, Iowa.

The thirteen townships in the
Crookston land district is rapidly
filling up with settlers.

James Seshay of Motley was
probably fatally injured by a rail-
way accident last week.

The state board of Charities and
corrections paid a visit to the state
prison at Stillwater last week.

The gambling room of Ed. Mc-
Gee of Stillwater has been pulled,
and the proprietor and five poker
players arrested.

The Close Brothers have pur-
chased all the railroad land in
Nobles and Rock counties, and
will boom and tenant every section.

The Fergus Falls Journal says
that two Mormon missionaries are
canvassing that portion of the
state. Most of the converts are
Scandinavians.

A Swede family living near Oak-
wood farm, Litchfield, was burned
out last Monday, and a small child
so seriously injured that it died in
a few days.

Several farmers in the vicinity
of Long Prairie have lost young
calves of late from some cause un-
known. The calves die suddenly,
seeming well as usual only a short
time before, and no one can give
the cause of the trouble.

Detective Connors, of St. Paul,
arrested a Sauk Rapids butcher out
at Smith's road house Saturday
night. The man, who gives his
name as D. E. Wilson, had drawn
\$1,050 on a bogus draft, which
Geo. E. Rockwood had endorsed.
He had spent a portion of the
money betting on horse races, etc.

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, ST. CLOUD, MINN.,
July 7, 1883.
Complaint having been entered at this office by
G. H. Harris against Peter Houde for abandoning
his homestead entry No. 1067, dated August 2,
1879, upon the sec. 24, township 43, range
18, in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to
the cancellation of said entry, the said parties
are hereby summoned to appear at this office on
the 14th day of November, 1883, at 10 o'clock
a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concern-
ing said alleged abandonment.

D. H. FREEMAN, Register.
W. B. MITCHELL, Receiver.

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN.,
July 17th, 1883.
Complaint having been entered at this office by
Frank Veltette against Daniel Stewart for aban-
doning his homestead entry No. 1260, dated
April 6th, 1883, upon the nw 1/4 sec. 16, Township
43, Range 18, in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a
view to the cancellation of said entry, the said
parties are hereby summoned to appear at this
office on the 22nd day of October, 1883, at 10 o'clock
a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concern-
ing said alleged abandonment.

D. H. FREEMAN, Register.
W. B. MITCHELL, Receiver.

NOTICE OF PRE-EMPTION, FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN.,
July 25th, 1883.
Notice is hereby given that the following named
settler has filed notice of his intention to make
final proof in support of his claim, and that said
proof will be made before C. B. Sleeper, Clerk of
District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on Saturday
Aug. 18, 1883, viz: Thomas Smith, pre-emption
D. S. No. 504, for the nw 1/4 sec. 12, and
nw 1/4 sec. 13, T. 43, N. of R. 27, of 4th
p. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his
continuous residence upon and cultivation of said
land, viz: Daniel McDonald, George Billings,
John Purcell, John Martin, Geo. P. O. Address of
all of whom is Grand Rapids, Minn.

D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

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Aug. 18, 1883, viz: Fred Nedderison of Itasca county,
Minn., for the nw 1/4 section 12, town 38, range 34,
N. of R. 27, of 4th p. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his
continuous residence upon and cultivation of said
land, viz: Daniel McDonald, Thomas Smith,
John Purcell, George Billings, the P. O. address
of all of whom is Grand Rapids, Minn.

D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

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District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on August 11th,
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N. H. Ingersoll, Editor and Proprietor.
F. W. Wieland, Editor.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
LUCIUS F. HUBBARD,
of Goodhue County.

For Lieutenant Governor,
CHARLES A. GILMAN,
of Stearns County.

For Secretary of State,
FRED. VON BAUMBACH,
of Douglas County.

For State Treasurer,
CHARLES KITTLESOM,
of Freeborn County.

For Attorney General,
W. J. HAHN,
of Wabasha County.

For Railroad Commissioner,
JAMES H. BAKER,
of Blue Earth County.

It is stated that in Illinois a number of young men are waiting for the two-cent rate of postage before proposing to the girls, as a matter of economy.

Dukes and Nutt, of Uniontown, Pennsylvania, are both dead, but the discussion of the subject which led to their being killed is still going on.

Ben. Butler says the governors of Massachusetts are underpaid. If Ben wants to quit on that account there will be no lack of patriots ready to take the place.

The Northern Pacific has refused to accept cars from other roads that have no brake, on account of the steep and difficult grades east and west of the mountains.

The division superintendents of the Northern Pacific are at work preparing a trans-continental time card, to take effect August 26th. The road will not be completed at that time, however.

McNair's store at Verndale was entered Tuesday night by burglars, who piled up silks, satins and other valuables, preparatory to moving them away. They were frightened away before they carried them off. A suspicious character was afterwards arrested, who had in his possession a chain containing gold watches, chains, rings and jewelry, valued at \$1,000.

It is said that Ed. Maxwell, one of the notorious brothers who killed the Coleman brothers in Wisconsin two years ago, and were charged with other killings in Illinois, has been making his home for some time past on a farm near Blunt, in South Dakota. He claims that he is tired of being an outlaw and will become a good citizen if let alone.

Egypt is not destined to become a popular summer resort. In addition to cholera, leprosy is raging in several sections, deadly fevers are following in the track of the plague, an epidemic of carbuncles has broken out at Damietta, and to cap all the Nile has overflowed its banks, destroying the ripened crops and threatening widespread famine. England will find this a bad year to collect tribute in Egypt.

The completion of the Northern Pacific in September will be just ten years after the great financial disaster which stopped the enterprise and precipitated the commercial panic of 1873. At that time there was completed of the road 450 miles in Minnesota and Dakota and 150 miles in Washington territory. The road when completed will be nearly 2,000 miles long upon the main line and 600 upon its branches.

The Mullan tunnel on the Northern Pacific beyond Helena, was pierced the past week. This completes the Rocky mountain division. In twelve days more the last rail will be laid on the forty miles remaining. The last rail was laid on the Yellowstone park branch Monday, fifty and a quarter miles from Livingston and five and three-quarter miles from the park. The line will not be built nearer this season, as speculators and liquor dealers have secured certain grounds wanted. The fine hotel is open to the public.

Minneapolis has a sensational murder the body of Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews was found in a bad state of decomposition hidden away in a pantry of her home on Second street, near Turner Hall. A bloody axe was also found and a gash in her head showed how she met her death. A man named Mont and wife are suspected. She was supposed to be committed for a few hundred dollars which the woman possessed. The murder was discovered by the stench arising from her decomposed remains.

The Crops.

There is no longer any doubt but that there are excellent reasons for an improved and general hopeful outlook for the coming harvest. The weather during the past two or three weeks has been all that could be desired, and has effected a wonderful and momentous improvement in the general condition of things. Up to the middle of July there was a good deal of inclination on the part of the farmers to take a somewhat despondent view of the future, owing to the continued dry weather, which seemed bound to put an effectual stop to the growth and development of grain. But just in the nick of time there came a series of refreshing rains that completely changed the aspect of affairs, and revived the drooping spirits of the agriculturists. Following these rains came a period of cool, dry weather which has lasted up to the present and brought a feeling of almost certainty that the crop will not only not prove a failure, but will be fully up to, if indeed it does not exceed, an average yield. This is particularly true of the Red River valley, where the reports indicate an exceptionally favorable condition of the wheat crop. In the southern part of the State, also, everything points to an excellent harvest. The continued coolness of the weather has been exceedingly fortunate and auspicious, from the fact that it has prevented anything like rust or blight—dangers that are ever present and to be dreaded when the atmosphere is hot and moist. Despite some local reports of rust in a few southern counties, the wheat of the State seems to be in capital condition; and estimates of an average yield of fifteen bushels to the acre, which a few weeks ago seemed among the impossibilities, now appear to be by no means improbable. In some sections of the State it is thought that the yield will exceed this figure to a marked degree, but it is as yet, of course, too early to speak with any exactness. At present there only remains to the farmer, so far as can be seen, one element of danger, and that is a wet harvest. Should the weather prove very unfavorable it would necessarily make a decided difference in the results.

The Brainerd Churchman is circulated only among the churchmen of Brainerd and our missions. The criticism on this article in your last issue reached a larger and in the main a different class of readers. It seems but fair that they should see the article. Something more than bold and reckless assertions is necessary to convince the editor that the article is not in the main true. He wishes he could believe that the Baptist convention did not refuse to support the "American Bible Society" because it circulates "King James' version" without note or comment.

EDITOR BRAINERD CHURCHMAN.
A BAPTIST BIBLE.
At a late convention of Baptists it was determined to print a Baptist version of the Scriptures that would reflect their views concerning baptism. They also refused to support the American Bible Society.

We believe the Christian world will condemn this step. If not, and sets may translate the word of God to suit their peculiar views, the mass of people will be asking before long which is true. The common standard will be taken from them, and all reverence for the Divine word will be thrown aside, because God's Book will come to be considered the Baptists' book, etc., of no more force than their opinions. Men honestly ask to-day: Where shall I turn to find the true Church, so many voices call. And they let them all alone. So it will come to be concerning the word of God, if the step taken by the Baptists is not condemned by common consent.

But this step reveals the real essence of sectarianism. For many years the best scholars on both sides of the water have been engaged in revising the King James version. With thousands of verbal changes, that they saw fit to consider the word baptism represents the original Greek better than immersion. Their impartial judgment should have more weight than the partial opinions of any Christian body. It ought to have shown the Baptists that perhaps their zeal was carrying them beyond their sober judgment. But no! the combined wisdom of the revision committee is set at naught. They have acted on the same principle that leads individuals to close their ears to every truth they don't like. Men show a great deal of self-will about what they will believe. "None are to blind as those who won't see." The result is many make truth to be what they will, and not what God wills. This has been the principal on which every sect has been built. God wills that all should be one—man wills that he will divide Christendom to perpetuate his views. Our Baptist brethren have shown this weakness in human nature in their late action. To perpetuate their views, and to show how free-willed (we were going to say self-willed) they are, they have been willing to open a flood gate that would take away the authority of the word of God from the masses, and destroy the reverence due the Sacred Book, by breaking that common bond that has held the Christian world together.

Brainerd Churchman.
Kindred's Manhood.
Mr. Kindred expressed his belief that Mitchell, of the Duluth Tribune was not guilty of any intentional fraud against the United States, and also sympathized with a believed to be honest man who was so foolishly dealt with. If anything could prove a real man this will. The Duluth Tribune was one of the most bitter and scandalous opponents of Mr. K. during the campaign last fall, heaping all manner of the vilest abuse upon him. But good is returned for evil.—Sault Centre Tribune.

I send my love to the land;
My heart—she has gone before;
The print of her foot is before me, and I measure it over and over.
Look, how the lines of strength
Cross it from side to side;
Just a short eighteen inches in length
And eight and three-quarters wide.

Twenty years ago a Louisville man swore that he would never marry until women should acquire sufficient good manners not to go abreast over a crossing, and not to occupy the entire width of the sidewalk. The horrid wretch is still single.—Courier-Journal.

A LITTLE kiss,
A little bliss,
A little ring—it's ended.
A little Jew,
A little law,
And lo! the bonds are rended.
CRIES Sylvia to a reverend dean,
"What reason can be given,
Since marriage is a holy thing,
That there are some to beaven?"
"There are no women," he replied.
She quick returns the jest;
"Women there are; but I'm afraid
They cannot find a priest."

"Is it becoming to me?" asked she, as she paraded in the costume of 100 years ago, before the man who is not her lord and master, but is her husband. "Yes, my dear," said he, meekly. "Don't you wish I could dress this way all the time?" she asked. "No, my dear," he replied; "but I wish you had lived when that was the style."

"I'm proud of this town," said a little man, sitting before the stove, with a pipe in his mouth. "Proud of it?" repeated the stranger at the bar, who turned as he heard the words and gazed at the speaker with a look of contempt. "What are you proud of it for?" "That's an easy one," returned the little man. "There are four cemeteries here, and I've got a wife into every one of 'em."

WRINKLES disfigure a woman less than ill-nature.—DUPUY.
WOMAN is an idol that man worships until he throws it down.
WOMEN love always; when earth slips from them they take refuge in heaven.

THE whisper of a beautiful woman can be heard further than the loudest call of duty.
Of all things that man possesses, women alone take pleasure in being possessed.—MATHER.

BEFORE promising a woman to love only her one should have seen them all, or should only see her.—DUPUY.
We meet in society many beautiful and attractive women whom we think would make excellent wives—for our friends.

We ensure the inconstancy of women when we are the victims; we find it charming when we are the objects.—L. DEMOYER.

THE highest mark of esteem a woman can give a man is to ask his friendship; and the most signal proof of her indifference is to offer him hers.

It is not easy to be a widow; one must resume all the modesty of girlhood, without being allowed to feign its ignorance.—MADAME DE GIRARDIN.

AT 20 man is less a lover of woman than of women; he is more in love with the sex than with the individual, however charming she may be.—RETIF DE LA BRETONNE.

MEN are so fearful of wounding a woman's vanity that they rarely remember that she may, by some possibility, possess a grain of common sense.—MISS BRADTON.

WOMEN of the world never use harsh expressions when condemning their rivals. Like the savage, they hurl elegant arrows, ornamented with feathers of purple and azure, but with poisoned points.

COLLISIONS at sea may be prevented by using balloons, says Mr. John H. Schultz, of New York, who proposes that all vessels be provided with balloons of sufficient capacity to take a person high enough above the fog to see the balloons of other vessels in the vicinity, whose relative positions he can communicate to the ship's officer.

"My hearers," began the lecturer, "I trust —" Before he could proceed farther a babel of voices shouted: "We'll trade with you, mister; we'll trade with you. Never you fear that." The ignorant citizens thought he was going to open a grocery in town, and that he had risen to announce the fact.—Boston Transcript.

A "CORNER ON ONIONS" is being worked up, and it is thought that before long they will be so high that a fellow who calls on his best girl can leave his hat in the hall and settle himself for the evening without fear.—Evening News.

SEVERAL ways of preserving eggs are practiced. The object is to prevent evaporation from the egg. Cutting off the air from the contents of the egg preserves them longer than will any other treatment. An egg which has lain in bran even for a few days will smell and taste musty. Packed in lime eggs will be stained. Covered with a coat of spirit varnish eggs have kept so perfectly that after the lapse of two years chickens were hatched from them. A good egg will sink in a body of water; if stale, a body of air inside the shell will frequently cause it to float. When boiled a fresh egg will adhere to the shell, which will have a rough exterior; if stale, the outside will be smooth and glassy.

Looking through a paper tube directed toward the light an egg held to the end of the tube will appear translucent if fresh; but if stale it will be dark—almost opaque.

Spirit varnish for preserving eggs is made by dissolving gum shellac in enough alcohol to make a thin varnish. Coat each egg with this and pack, little end down, so that they cannot move, in bran, sawdust, or sand; the sand is best. Whatever is used for packing should be clean and dry. For preserving in lime a pickle is made of the best stone lime, fine, clean salt and water enough to make a strong brine, usually sixty or sixty-five gallons of water, six or eight quarts of salt, and a bushel of lime are used. The lime should be slacked with a portion of the water, the salt and remainder of the water is then added. Stir at intervals, and when the pickle is cold and the sediment has settled dip or draw the liquid off into the cask in which the eggs are to be preserved. When only a few eggs are to be pickled a stone jar will answer.

HOW TO STOP A PAPER.
The following, from one of our exchanges, so fully and clearly expressed our views on the subject, that we copy it without comment: "You have an undoubted right to stop a newspaper when you feel disposed, upon the payment of all arrearsages. To not hesitate to do so on account of 'tenderness for the editor. Don't you suppose he would stop buying sugar of you, or meat, clothing or dry goods, etc., if he thought he was not getting his money's worth, and why should you not exercise the same privilege with him? And when you discontinue a paper, do so manfully. Don't be so spiteful as to throw it back to the Postmaster with a contemptuous 'I don't want it any longer' and have 'I fear' written on the margin, and have the paper returned to the editor. No gentleman ever stopped it in that way, no matter if his head is covered with gray hairs that should be honorable. If you do not longer wish to receive a newspaper, write a note to the editor like a man, saying so—and be sure that arrearsages are paid. This is the way to stop a newspaper."

FRIENDSHIP'S TIE.
"The prisoner was a friend of mine," said the witness in answer to a question of the counsel for the prosecution. "Do you desire the court and jury to believe that you are well acquainted with him?" "No; I can't say that I am." "Well, what are we to understand then by the statement that he was a friend of yours?" "Just this," continued the witness; "he borrowed \$5 of me once and never returned it."

"Do you consider that an evidence of friendship?" "I do. If he had paid it back, he would have been to borrow \$10 more."—Brooklyn Eagle.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 2, 1883.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. B. Sleeper, Clerk of District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on August 13th, 1883, viz: C. Johnson, of Itasca county, Minn., for the n. e. 1/4 sec 17, T. 58, R. 24.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Ira W. Gooch, Paul Oleson, Joseph Loveland, Samuel Garfield, F. O. of all Grand Rapids, Itasca county, Minnesota.
20-31 D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: C. Johnson, Fred Nordstrom, John Linsted, E. Blake, post office of all Grand Rapids, Minn.
20-31 D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

NOTICE
U. S. LAND OFFICE, AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 17, 1883.
Complaint having been entered at this office by Joseph Durckman against Mortimer Moravia for abandoning his homestead entry No. 11,856, dated April 6, 1882, upon the s. 1/4 sec 14, T. 58, R. 24, Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 25th day of October 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m. to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

NOTICE OF PRE-EMPTION, FINAL PROOF.
LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 25, 1883.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. B. Sleeper, Clerk of District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on August 13th, 1883, viz: Daniel McDonald, pre-emption No. 8, No. 288 for lot 1, sec 14 and lot 1 sec 14, T. 58, R. 24, Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 25th day of October 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m. to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: C. Johnson, Ed Erickson, Charles Erickson, Alfred Hill, Postoffice of all Grand Rapids, Minn.
20-31 D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

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Allow us to present our compliments, and request the pleasure of your presence at our opening at Hartley Hall on Thursday, August 16th. Juvenile class at 3 p. m. Adults' class 8 o'clock p. m. sharp. Private lessons in round dances given at any hour not occupied with regular classes.

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Brainerd, Aug. 11, 1883.

Prof. & Mrs. C. E. Atcherson.

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Chief of Police—Vacancy
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Recorder—M. McFallen.
County Attorney—G. W. Holland.
Assessor—C. W. Brown.
Coroner—J. C. Rosser.

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James S. Gardner.

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District Attorney—W. W. Hartley.

LAND OFFICERS.

Register—W. Spaulding, Duluth.
Receiver—J. R. Carey, Duluth.
Inspector—D. H. Freeman, St. Cloud.
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Register—J. P. Owen, Taylor's Falls.

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ployment members in good standing frat-
ernally invited. P. B. Wilkens, C. P. Ed. R.
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ning at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows' Hall. E. W. Ken-
nedy, N. G. Northford, Secretary.

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office.

CHURCHES.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. P.
J. Hawley, rector. Sabbath school at 12 m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. M.
D. Tewksbury, pastor. Sabbath school at 12 m.
and 7:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and
7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. W. W. Rogan, pas-
tor. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Preaching at
10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. E. C.
Evans, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and
7:30 p. m. The Methodist Episcopal church until
the new church is completed.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Rev. Father Seiden-
bach, pastor. Masses daily except Sunday at usual
hours.

SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. J. Fogel-
strom, pastor. Services as usual every Sab-
bath.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. W. E. Daver-
son, pastor. Sabbath school at 12 m. Preach-
ing at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH—Rev. G. W. Wahlund, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath at
10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

MAILS.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

POUCH MAIL ARRIVES from St. Paul Min-
neapolis Duluth, Astoria, Kimberly and Deerwood
at 6 a. m. every morning.

FROM ST. PAUL—Regular mail at 3:45 p. m.
every day except Sunday.

FROM THE WEST—At noon.

FROM LEECH LAKE—Twice weekly.

DEPARTURES—REGULAR MAIL.

FOR THE SOUTH AND EAST at 12 m. Mail
for Minneapolis Duluth, Astoria, Kimberly and Deerwood
at 1 p. m.

FOR THE WEST at 1:30 p. m. Mail closes at
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**FOR MAIL FOR ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS,
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p. m. Mail closes at 5:30 p. m.

FOR MOON LAKE, Thursday morning at 9
o'clock.

EXCEPT ORDER DEPARTMENT is open from
Monday through 11:30 a. m.; closed from 2 p. m. until
5:30 p. m.

TRAINS.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

ARRIVE FROM ST. PAUL, 2:40 a. m. and
1:45 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM FARGO, 1:55 a. m. and 12:30
noon.

ARRIVE FROM DULUTH, 1:30 a. m.

LEAVE FOR ST. PAUL, 2:20 a. m. and + 12:40
p. m.

LEAVE FOR FARGO, 3:30 a. m. and 2:35 p. m.

LEAVE FOR DULUTH, 2:45 a. m.

NOTE—Daily except Sunday.

The City.

The building business is brisk.

W. A. Smith was in the cities below last week.

Quite a frost was visible early Monday morning.

Our hunters are getting ready for fall amusement.

The piping for the water works is being laid as fast as possible.

The Methodist lawn social was well attended last evening.

Mrs. R. E. Rowley, of Topeka, Kansas, visiting friends in Brainerd.

Light overcasts have been decidedly comfortable for a few evenings.

The harvest time is again dawning upon the land of the golden grain.

The New Merchants hotel on Sixth street has been closed up.

The painters are putting the finishing touches onto the Leland House.

Dr. Parsons returned home from his astern trip Tuesday morning.

We understand a broker's office will be established in Brainerd soon.

J. J. Howe and family have been spending a week or so in St. Paul.

On and after the 20th of August the bank will close its doors at 3 o'clock.

The Garden Theatre is said to have more attractive features now-days.

Over four hundred people were fed at the Headquarters hotel yesterday.

Miss Barber, a daughter of the scaler at J. Howe & Co.'s mill, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Kate Robinson will remove her refinery and dress making room to a dairy street.

Adam Brown has bought the stock and started a confectionery and notion store at the Old Sherwood stand.

J. J. Cale's new building on Front street is being built along with all possible speed.

N. Gould will add another room to his silvoring establishment on account of the quantity of work coming in.

The Water Company's office will be located in the basement of the Hartley rock on Front street.

Dr. J. F. Lehigh of Quebec has located in Brainerd and will continue the practice of his profession in our city. His office is located two doors south of the hotel house on Sixth street.

The passenger train from the west was considerably behind time Wednesday.

The DISPATCH circulation is fast increasing, making it the best advertising medium in the city.

A \$45,000 grist mill, a large hotel, and four new business firms, all in one week, and still Brainerd booms.

Mrs. Munson, of Brainerd, formerly of Duluth, is visiting friend in town, accompanied by her sister.—Duluth Times.

Prof. Turner and Walter Lewis started for Yellowstone Park last week. They were prepared to enjoy a good time.

C. C. Neal and wife, of Little Falls, spent the Sabbath in Brainerd visiting at R. E. Gleason's.

Edith Otto and Nellie Battles have started a laundry in East Brainerd, where they work at reasonable prices.

The August earnings of the Northern Pacific road will be at the rate of \$9,000,000 per year, so says a prominent official.

The lots on Fifth street that are owned by the Catholic society here are being cleared up preparatory to the building of a new church.

The private car of the Northern Pacific, en route, went west on Sunday night on its way to Helena to return with the excursionists from Ohio.

Geo. Geissel, of North Prairie, shipped Brainerd, Little Falls and St. Cloud over 5,000 quarts of raspberries this season.

WANTED.—Furnished room, north side of track in private family. Inquire of Armstrong Bros., one door south of post-office.

An ice cream festival will be held on Tuesday evening next by the Episcopal people at the house and grounds of Mrs. Metcalf on Front street.

Harry Aman and another gentleman whose name we did not learn, will open restaurant and lunch counter in the merchants' hotel building soon.

Three thousand sheep were sent west Monday on the Northern Pacific road for the Marquis de Montes, of the Little Missouri.

A good home and clothing for a girl or 13 years of age. Apply to Mrs. Arnstine, corner of 4th street and the levee.

A. E. Losey will occupy the basement of the Smith block on Sixth street as soon as it is completed with his undertaking establishment.

The N. P. hospital is fast approaching completion. The building is large and convenient and will add much to the comfort of the occupants.

The new quarters of Osborne & Van Osbert on Fifth street are very cozy and convenient. They continue to "shave" the public as usual. Give them a call at their new tonorial rooms.

We understand that the N. P. road will take off their dining cars on this portion of the road about the 26th, and that the trains will stop here for dinner before.

We call attention this week to the new advertisement of A. E. Veon, watchmaker and Jeweler. Mr. Veon carries a stock and can give you a good bargain in anything in his line.

We understand that negotiations are underway to purchase 80 acres of land at the city to be converted into a race course. This is a move in the right direction which we hope to see consummated.

John O'Brien, a carpenter at the railroad shops, died on Monday morning at 1 o'clock. Mr. O'Brien was one of the best carpenters at the shops, having been here some years ago. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon.

The sleepers on the Northern Pacific between here and Brainerd have been taken off, and the traveling public are getting a grand kick in consequence. Mr. P. is not doing the fair thing by Brainerd in more matters than this.—Duluth Times.

M. Hays, of Minneapolis has purchased the clothing establishment of Armstrong Bros. on 6th street. Mr. Hays has put in an immense stock immediately and will carry the business along at his new quarters near the post-office.

We call special attention to the announcement of Metzger Bros., in this issue. They are centrally located and have in place finely fitted up. If you need anything in their line call on them at C. Patek's clothing store.

The man who attempted to break into the gun store a few day's since, has been arrested in Duluth on some charge. He was wounded in the lower part of his leg and said he received the injury in Brainerd, and acknowledged his attempt to break into the gun store.

We are informed that Mr. A. F. Leedom, the senior member of the firm of "Gold Bros., the "Boss" Clothiers has come east to purchase the largest and best line of fall goods ever before brought to this city, and an elegant line of all samples for their custom tailoring department.

We remember that it is not always cheap to deal with houses in other cities, to neglect and injury of home institutions. What helps one manufacturer or dealer helps all, and cutting the price of everything below its real value, will eventually reach every man in the community.

We had the pleasure of meeting Judge W. H. Leland, of Grand Forks, last Sunday. Mr. Leland was in the city to recover a gold watch and other articles which was stolen from his residence a few weeks ago. The burglar was captured in Brainerd, and the tales bearing his name discovered their way to the police.

F. Harrison, of the Brainerd bottling works, was in town Friday, and after his business was done went over and had a drink of the champagne (?) casino player, in him the game (?) Meacham hedges his reputation for casino by saying that Harrison, although a remarkably "frisky" gambler, only beat him five straight games. Meacham thinks of resigning the proprietorship.—Little Falls Sun.

Brainerd's new hotel is a settled fact. Full particulars could not be given here on account of some unsettled questions, but a DISPATCH reporter was induced by Mr. Witt that work would be commenced next week and that the building would be pushed to an early completion.

W. H. Leland is the other gentleman connected with the enterprise.

We received a call from Mr. Metzger, of the firm of Metzger Bros., on Tuesday. These gentlemen will put in a jewelry store in the same room with C. M. Patek's clothing store. They will carry a large line of watches, clocks, and jewelry, and have the reputation of being first-class workmen. Everyday brings new institutions to Brainerd's business circle, and we welcome them all.

Prof. and Mrs. C. E. Atcherson, have an announcement in this week's issue, to which the attention of a dancing community is called. This is a grand opportunity to become proficient in this art, and as they come very highly recommended they will undoubtedly obtain a large class. Their opening is this afternoon and evening in Hartley Hall.

The Jay Rial Combination which has been entertaining the theatre-going public of Brainerd this week were received with a hearty welcome. The play on Saturday evening was East Lynne, and the acting was exceedingly affecting, and many a tear could be seen trickling down the faces of the more interested of the listeners. The other plays were correspondingly well carried out.

What came very near being a fatal accident befell a little daughter of Mr. Walter Davis last Monday. It seems that water had been used out of the cistern and it had been neglected to shut the tap over it. The little girl was misadvised and search was made and she was found at the bottom of the cistern nearly drowned. She was gotten out and brought to with considerable effort, and will probably come out all right. It was lucky that the accident was no worse, for a few moments more would have proved fatal.

The sparring match at the Garden Theatre last Saturday night, resulted in favor of Banker. Mr. B. seems to be a much better boxer than his opponent, Ben Lafond had expected, and did the thing by knocking him down five or six times until the fifth round, when he continued to get in his work in earnest and knocked his opponent off the stage twice, the last time hurling him clear out of the light down the back stairs, and "Beecher" failed to come to time again, evidently having had enough.

The new firm that has bought out Armstrong Bros. have an announcement in the Dispatch which we ask our readers to peruse. They have the finest location in the city, next door to the post-office on 6th street, and will put in the largest stock ever brought to Brainerd. The tailoring department will be carried on under the supervision of Mr. A. J. Armstrong who has been retained by the firm. They will continue to please their patrons and give entire satisfaction and parties who are in need of clothing of any description should give them a call before ordering elsewhere.

Quite an exciting runaway occurred at the mill of J. J. Howe & Co., on Saturday last, although it did not result fatally to man or beast. The wagon was loaded with brick mounds that in some way fell and started the team, throwing off John Allen the yard boss, and shaking things generally. The teamster Joseph Berger was somewhat riled and cursed the yard boss in French, while the boss swore the air blue with German swear-words. All four wheels ran over John Allen's hole he made in the mud has picked up with water, and the mill company are thinking of using it to boom him in the coming season.

We are in receipt of a circular of the O. G. T. which gives the following particulars of the second session of the 12th district lodge:

The second session of the 12th District lodge will be held with Vernadale Lodge, No. 89, I. O. G. T., on Friday and Saturday, August 24th and 25th, 1883, at Vermadale, Minn. The territory included in the Twelfth District comprises the counties of Todd, Crow Wing, Cass and Wadena, and all lodges in Otter Tail county towns on or near the Northern Pacific road. Each lodge is entitled to one representative for every twenty members in fraction thereof. All members of the lodge, in good standing, whether delegates or not, are entitled to be present. Delegates who attend this session will be entertained free of charge.

Quarterly Meetings.

Fourth quarterly meeting services will be held at the church as follows: Love service at 9:30 a. m. on next Sabbath, preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m., after which the sacraments will be administered. The official board will meet Wednesday evening the 22d inst., Dr. F. C. Chaffie, presiding elder, presiding.

Picnic and Festival.

The Baptist Sunday school will hold an annual picnic next Saturday on the land in Gilbert lake, commencing at 8 o'clock in the morning. A boat will run from this end of the lake to the land, and carry all persons free. There will be a free dinner at noon. In the afternoon, for amusement, there will be table games, etc. In the evening there will be a festival. Supper will be served at 6 p. m. to eight. Price 25 cents. Lemons, fruits, etc., will be for sale all day. Come and have a good time whether you attended the Baptist church or not.

Well Dressed Man and Something Concerning the Emporium into Which he Trunked, and was Sifted with the Fall.

His education and refinement increases his desire to dress well increases, and is desired by no means behind in this important respect, as might easily be observed by a stroll among the pedestrians to enlighten the thoroughfares, especially on the Sabbath. No one unless he has the most careful and special attention rendered to him many of the evidences of good taste were the production of the acknowledged leaders of fashions, Armstrong Bros., one door south of the post-office.

Church Festival.

The Swedish Lutherans will give an ice cream and raspberry festival in their church, corner of Broadway and Norwood streets, on Saturday evening, August 25th. This society is making strenuous efforts to finish and pay for its beautiful church edifice, and will be glad to see a large attendance at the festival. The committee will spare no pains to make it every way an attractive and enjoyable occasion. Good music, English and Scandinavian, may be expected. A table of articles, will be a prominent feature in the evening. Come one and all and enjoy a pleasant evening in helping along the cause. Admission, 10 cents.

Deliberate Suicide.

On Monday at 15 minutes before 12 o'clock our citizens were startled to learn that another deliberate suicide had been committed within the city limits. A **DISPATCH** reporter was immediately upon the ground and gleaned the following facts:

It seems that on Monday morning, Geo. V. Vanarsdale, better known in Brainerd as Ed. Lennon, called at the saloon of John Bubar, on Fifth street and asked for a revolver saying that if he had one he would end his life there. The occupants of the place thought nothing of this, but when he said that he would procure the weapon somewhere, the bar-keeper thought it would be a good plan to watch him and told Mr. Bubar that he had better do so, as he might do something rash. Mr. B. followed him out round by the post-office, where he talked with him, as also did Sam Leland, and they concluded that there was nothing to worry with the man, and did not deem best to think anything more about it. Mr. V. then went around to Paine's gun store on Laurel street and bought a revolver, an "American Bull Dog" of 40 caliber and went back to Bubar's place of business, where he called the boys up and treated twice, telling them "this will be the last drink you will take with Ed." He then turned to Pete Ort and told him he had a small bill over at his place that he would settle, and then called Bubar aside and said he had something to lend him, when he took out \$130 and handed it to Bubar, telling him to keep it until he called for it, but he took back of it to square up a few little bills and left the \$125 with him. Mr. B. asked him where he was going and he replied, "I'll catch on some farmer and go-having, guess," and then bid Bahar good bye, telling him to pay Mr. Brockway for a new meal he had eaten there. He then went to Clifford's saloon and treated the boys, but did not drink himself. Steve McFarland went with him from there to Paine's saloon and from there to White's place where he treated, telling the boys that was the last time. From the latter place Joe Forester started with him, at he told Mr. Forester not to go as he did not want him along. Mr. Forester went along with him notwithstanding, and when they reached the Indian trading post, Vanarsdale told him to go back as he was going to make way with himself and wanted no one around. They both went down on a fallen tree where Forester tried to get the revolver away from him, but he escaped from his plans of self destruction, but it seems to have been of no use to the victim got down on his knees and pulled the revolver out, but was restrained from taking his life at that moment by the persuasions of Mr. F., who began to talk somewhat alarmed, and called to some passers-by, one of whom was Harry Addison, and told him to stay there and catch Vanarsdale until he could get up, and then stated for town, but heard no report of the revolver before he got to the rods away. He did not go back but went on until he found Jas. White and Henry Donnelly and told them what he feared had happened. They returned and found him dead, with a bullet through the brain.

The deceased had lived in Brainerd and vainly for some ten years, was a man not 35 years of age, and generally liked all who knew him, and the rash act cannot be accounted for. He was born in Matavia, New Jersey, where he enlisted in company D, of the 38th New Jersey regiment in 1864, when only 15 years of age, and was discharged on the 30th of June 1865. His parents who live in New Jersey have been notified of the sad news and his effects will be kept for their disposal. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon.

The New Mill

In an interview with Mr. Swartz, we learned that every arrangement has been effected for the speedy erection of the new flouring mill that was mentioned in last issue of the **DISPATCH**. Work on the foundation was commenced yesterday and will be pushed with a vim that will see the institution in running shape by November 1st. The machinery for the mill will all be here within four weeks, it will cost all new and first-class. The engine one of the Reynolds Improved Corliss make and is of 140 horse power. There will be four run of stone and eleven sets of rollers to do the work, besides a bran machine and everything else that will facilitate the work and make the finest flour of flour.

By the way, the building will be 60 feet long, and the stories high based on 10 feet, and will put up solid and substantial. The hands employed in the institution will be a general manager, a bookkeeper, two millers, two engineers, a flour packer, a teamster, a feed man, and other men for general rough work.

The mill will have a storing capacity of 100,000 bushels and will be run night and day. We think the citizens of Brainerd are to be congratulated upon their success in getting this industry going. We said last week the company will be a stock company of \$45,000 total, \$15,000 of the stock being divided among our citizens as follows:

H. Koop 20 shares; J. J. Howe & Co. 10 shares; John Koop 5; S. Koop 5; Nevins & Westfall 10; C. B. Sleeper 5; L. P. White 5; Dr. Hoves 5; J. Gardner 5; Dr. Smith 5; W. W. Hartley 5; Hartley Bros 5; Paine Bros 5; R. Parker 2; Dr. Smith 2; D. D. Smith 5; W. Davis 2; Brown 2; Frater & Fernald 3; Geo. A. Larned 2, and many others that we have learned, have taken from one to three shares.

The board of directors was elected on Monday, and are J. N. Nevins, James Addison, C. B. Sleeper, L. P. White, J. Koop and M. K. Swartz.

The mill site has been located at the foot of Oak street on the west side of the track. The annual meeting will be held on the third Monday in September, and a president and other officers will be elected.

We have decided to make a change in paper in order to make it more interesting to the public, and will hereafter consist of six columns of Associated Press material. This we get from the American News Association of Chicago, which is sent by express and shipped to us by the first mail train, getting here in time for our issue, only about 15 hours after it is set up. This is only another step toward consummating our plan for publishing a first class newspaper for this city.

We are turning out some fine job print these days in the shape of letter heads, cards, envelopes, and in fact considerable and poster work of all descriptions and all of the best we can get at fair prices.

Sealed Proposals Invited.
Sealed proposals for the renting of the new store and basement in the Odd Fellows' block in the city of Brainerd will be received until August 22, 1883, at 5 o'clock p. m. of that day, said proposals to state what rent will be paid by the bidder monthly in advance, and said bidder to state what business he wishes to carry on in said building. Bidders will be required to furnish responsible references if not personally known to the trustees. Bids for the store will be made separate from bids for the basement, and all bids are required to be for a term of not less than three years, and must be addressed to the secretary of the board of trustees, Ed. R. French, Post-office box 194, Brainerd, Minn., and endorsed across the end of the envelope as follows: Bid for Odd Fellows' store or basement." The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

ADAM BROWN,
Secretary.
ED. R. FRENCH,
Trustees Wilday Lodge No. 37, I. O. O. F.
You want to buy—
If you want to sell—
If you want to rent—
Say, boys, call on me at address
Raymond & Hubbard, real estate dealers,
Brainerd, Minn.

C. V. WADHAM, the boot and shoemaker with the largest and most complete stock of boots and shoes, can suit you in style, quality and prices. Come and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.

C. V. WADHAM.

NOTICE OF PRE-EMPTION, FINAL PROOF.
LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN.,
July 18th, 1883.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. B. Sleeper, Clerk of District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on August 4th, 1883, viz: John Martin, pre-emption D. of the n. w. 1/4 sec 13, T. 50, N. of R. 27, and the 4th p. m.
He names the following witnesses to prove his claim: Daniel McDonald, Thomas Smith, Fred Neidermeyer, and John H. Freeman, all of whom is Grand Rapids, Minn.

D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

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The Miller's Wooing.

"Love me little, love me long,"
Sang the dusty miller
To his wheat and his song
Did a maize and thrill her.
"Did me barley hope; oh, give
Me one grain of comfort;
I would eat on the miller's
Holding on to some sort."
"In your eyes now love looks shine,
There lies a certain pleasure,
Oh! homely joys are mine,
Filling up my measure."
Came the maiden's corn-fair laugh
At the miller's teasing;
"You can't winnow girls with chaff—
Sir! to you good morning."

A New Style of Wedding Cake.

At a wedding in Chicago, the bride cake was built in four tiers. Around the lowest of these six satin bows were arranged, each hung on a pearl button, which formed the handle to a diminutive drawer. Just before the cutting of the cake each of the half-dozen bridesmaids laid her hand upon a bow and drew out the drawer, which, needless to say, contained a pretty gift.

The Medical Profession for Women.

This is the only business or profession that is not overdone, and cannot be for many years to come. Every town of over 3,000 inhabitants ought to support a good woman physician. Every city ought to support one to each 5,000 inhabitants. The demand, too, for able teachers to lecture upon hygiene and physiology is on the increase and cannot be supplied for a century to come. Hundreds of women possessed of talent, education and experience, desirous of a financial independence and dissatisfied with a do-nothing life, ought to enter the medical profession, and could do so profitably.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

While New England journals are loaded with long-winded efforts to tell where and how woman can enjoy the independence for which she is supposed to long, a Western editor has solved the problem by suggesting the kitchen. If any one doubts the correctness of this view let him invade his own kitchen and attempt to assert authority. He may be a tyrant in the parlor and a nuisance in the dining-room, but in the kitchen woman reigns supreme, no matter whether she is a feeble wife or a brawny servant. It is strange that women never made this brilliant discovery for themselves, for any one of them who has hired help in the kitchen knows that the servant is autocrat in her own domain, and before her the queen of the rest of the house is but a poor, timid, fluttering creature. But such independence implies the ability to work in the kitchen, and of this the American knows about as much as she of Patagonia, who has no kitchen at all.—New York Herald.

A Defense of Modern Women.

Let no man say that the change of woman from the sentimental, insipid and angelic creature of the last century to the vigorous and hearty person of today is a change that begins and ends with eating and drinking habits. Let the pessimists say what they will, the present is an age of genuineness and candor. There is less mock modesty, less of the humbug of seeming, than in any generation that has gone before us, if we may accept as true the pictures of life given us by Smollet, Fielding, Fanny Burney, Thackeray and the writers of the time of Queen Anne. The civilized woman admires the delicate and fragile beauty of American women. But it is the pride of the country that feeds the world with beef, grain and game that the rare flower of American loveliness is no hot-house plant, reared in a nicely-adjusted atmosphere. The womanliness and the manliness of our country spring from a rich and nutritive soil. We have the best provision for the table in the world.—New York Times.

Frizzes, Bangs and Powder.

It being generally known that no collection would be taken up, there was an unusually large attendance of Lime-Kilners, and when the bell rang the audience to order, every bench seemed taken. Brother Gardner looked the picture of perfect health as he shook the kinks out of his spine and said: "Gentlemen, what am I dat obyek on dat sky-blue stool ober dar?" "Dat's de water-pail," was the answer. "Jess so, gent'l'men—Jess so. If dat pail war painted red or blew, what would it be?" "Nuffin' but a pail." "Jess so, again. If we shud paint dat pail, an' fresco de hanle, an' silver-plate de hoops an' call it de Tower of London, it wouldn't be de Tower any moar dan it is now. We is all agreed on dat—all de women. My ole woman, who am black as de one-spot ob spades, lame in de left leg, and wid no moah bewty dan de hind end of a butcher-cart, frizzes a curl over her left ear, ties a red ribbon round her froat, puts on a bustle, squeezes her corset till she can't holler, and sails down de street wid de idea in her ear dat she's a turkey ob de fast water. She reckons dat nobody can gaze on her widout a shiver of admiration, and dat folks will e-magine dat I own all de corner lots on de Brush fa'm. But she's nuffin' but my ole woman after all—nuffin' but a bundle ob aches. Walk out on de street, and what d'ye see? Every female in de lan' lurs paint on her cheeks and powder on her face. Dey frizz der hair, squeeze up on der corsets, nip along on der toes, an' der hull air is to deceive de men into believin' dat dey an' lan' sum and lubly. De uglier and meaner lookin' de woman an, de moar she frizzes and de harder she nips. De less money dey hab to dress on, de richer de duds are, an' de moar jewelry dey wear aroun'. A man stan' up in de broad light ob day, an' de whole worl' can see if he's humbly, an' ugly, an' lame, an' sneaky, but de woman sails along in a cloud ob gorgeness, an' de lameness and de deception don't come out until after she's got you fas'. Ee a pig is a pig, why should we call him a cook-stove? Ee a woman is a woman, why de need of all dis paint an' powder an' pippin' aroun'? De white man don't appreciate it, de nigger is sick ob it, an' I tell you, gent'l'men, dat de time an' comin' when dis country an' gwine to sigh mighty hard for a return ob de days when a clean calico dress an' a healthy woman went rou'n' in company."

Dimples Manufactured to Order.

Some poet it was who said that whenever a man has a dimple in his chin then Venus is his friend, but maybe that rule won't hold good in these days when dimples are manufactured by art. For there is a place on O'Farrell street in this city where dimples are made to order. I went there out of curiosity. I was shown into a parlor somewhat resembling a dentist's operating-room. There was a glass case full of bottles, washes and wigs and a regular dentist's chair that suggested a world of comfort. This sign was displayed over the fireplace: "M. Alphonse Pondunk, Improver and Beautifier, from Paris."

A dapper little gent in a velvet cut-away coat and deep purple neckcloth, whose face wore a complacent smirk, claimed the name as his.

I bashfully suggested the dimple question and asked for some points. I really did want a dimple in my arm, and told him so. But I insinuated my disbelief in his ability to produce the necessary article.

Whereupon he convinced me by practice. This is how it was done:

My arm being bare and the exact spot indicated, he placed a small glass tube, the orifice of which was extremely small, upon the spot. This tube had working within it a piston, and was so small that when the handle was drawn up the air was exhausted from the tube and it adhered to the flesh, raising a slight protuberance. Around this raised portion Monsieur Alphonse daintily tied a piece of scarlet silk, and then took away his section machine. The little point of skin which was thus raised he sliced off with a wicked-looking knife, bringing the blood.

I tried hard not to scream, but it was so unexpected I had to.

Then he bound up the arm, placing over the wound a small silver object like an inverted cone, the point of which was rounded and polished. This little point was adjusted so as to depress the exact center of the cut.

Then he told me to go away and not touch the spot until the next day. When I came at that time he dressed my arm again, and this operation was repeated for five days, when the wound was healed. The silver cone was removed, and there, sure enough, beneath it was the prettiest dimple in the world! And all John had to pay for it was ten dollars.

Now, theoretically considered, dimples are most entrancing. Cleopatra had a dimple directly over her heart, and Antony said that it was the mark made by the lips of Eros, who kissed her at her birth. Nimon de l'Enclous had dimples too which were renowned for their sea-shell pinkness and beauty. Helen of Troy had a large dimple on her left shoulder, and Anna Dickinson has one on the end of her nose. A woman without dimples is never even sure of one proposal; with them they come in dozens.—Rosamond, in San Francisco Truth.

Feminine Small Talk.

DISCREET wives have sometimes neither eyes nor ears.

DR. ANNA WARREN, of Emporia, Kansas, makes \$5,000 a year by the practice of medicine.

THE Yonkers Statesman discusses "Women as Wives." The idea seems feasible.—Norristown Herald.

MRS. MARY DURANT, of Elkhart, Ind., blind for twenty-five years, claims that her eye-sight was restored through prayer.

A DOUBTFUL statement is afloat in the papers to the effect that cigarette and cigar smoking among all classes of Boston women is becoming general.

THERE is a girl in Plymouth county, Mass., who had eighteen different lovers, and not one of them ever got her arm around her. She weighs 384 pounds.

THE daughter of the late Commodore Maury, who assisted him in the compilation of his well-known geographical series, is a school teacher in Richmond.

THE dislocated leg of a man at Lafayette, Ind., was treated by a woman physician as though it had been fractured. He demands \$10,000 damages, the mistake having crippled him for life.

MRS. TELLEN, the wife of the Secretary of the Interior, is tall and slender, with black hair and the blackest of black eyes, and is the possessor of an unusually gentle and attractive manner.

"THE most beautiful woman in Washington" is the wife of the Swedish Minister, Countess Lewenhaupt. She is a delicate and slender blonde, with fair complexion, golden hair and blue eyes.



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U. S. LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN.
July 17, 1883.

Complaint having been entered at this Office by E. B. Jones against William C. Congdon for abandoning his homestead entry No. 11499, dated Sept. 3, 1881, upon the 6th sec. 24, T. 44, R. 24, section 8, Township 43, Range 31, in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of October, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: John Chisholm, Chas. Bailey, R. H. Aiken, John Martin, P. O. Address of all Crow Wing, Crow Wing county, Minn.

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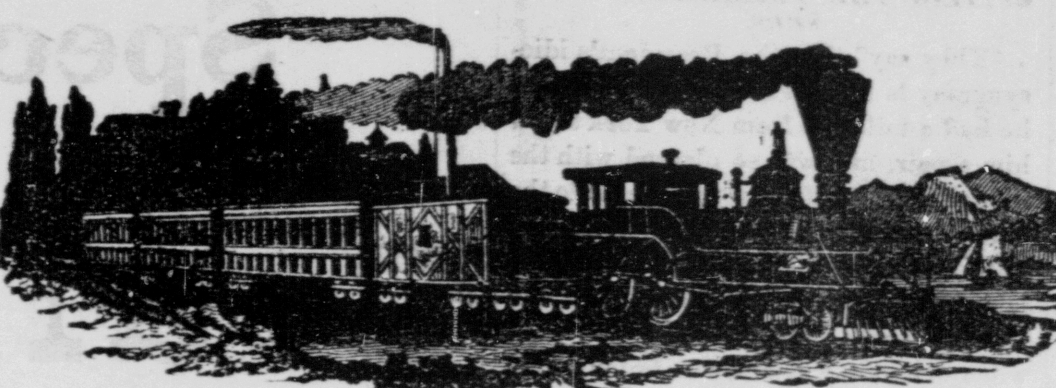
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"But then light clothes become
Me, nor can I forget
It brings me the same
Too awfully ingenuitous."

From brainless head to sharp-
Toed shoe, the maiden eyed
Him over, as one strange thing;
Then artlessly replied:

"To me, the chief of its
Attractions without number
Are on one and the same
Too awfully cucumber."

Duke's Remorse.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 11.—A lengthy statement, left by N. L. Dukes, who killed Capt. Nutt at Uniontown, Pa., and who was subsequently slain by Nutt's son, has been unearthed. First he gives with the utmost minuteness his account of the struggle in his room in which Nutt was killed, and claims that Nutt was the aggressor in every phase. "When he comes to consider the letters he wrote he says: 'I was legally guilty of taking Capt. Nutt's life, and well I knew it, and the jury very properly so found. The matters which led to the hostile encounter are well known, and need not be referred to except incidentally. When I wrote that first letter to Capt. Nutt I committed a most appalling blunder. It was the personification of stupidity, and the remorse of a lifetime will be inadequate expiation for the error. When I look back upon it in the light of developments I can scarcely resist the conclusion that I was laboring under temporary insanity. But here the matter ends. I would not believe in my total depravity and abandoned villainy if every fanatical master in the land howled it from the pulpit and platform until he was blind and every hair-brained editor in existence should lie about it to all eternity. True, Capt. Nutt is dead. This fact can fall upon no heart with more crushing force than upon my own. I had no more malice against the man than against my own mother. Why should I have? He never wronged me. No man respected him more than did I, and no man reveres his memory more than I do now. The images of the disconsolate widow and the helpless orphan children raise up before me like accusing spirits, and if such a thing were possible gladly would I lie down in this man's grave and restore him to his desolate family. Could I have known the culmination of this wretched affair, how much better would it have been for me to have sacrificed my life's happiness, and self-respect upon the altar of pacification. But I foolishly thought I was doing Capt. Nutt a cruel kindness and taking a stand for the preservation of my own honor. Since then I have concluded that honor is a delusion and a mockery. My enemies teach that the whole matter was a deep-laid scheme; that I deliberately ruined the daughter, and then killed him. What motive could I have in such a scheme? Sensible people will see that I am merely the victim of circumstances and my own folly. One thing grew out of another, according to the law of cause and effect, until the homicide was the result of a contest for survivorship. But am I alone responsible for this great mountain of woe? Is there no one who should share a portion of the burden? The party who can answer these questions will ever remain silent."

For those who wish to visit the Yellowstone Park with the most comfort and enjoyment, these statements made by the *New Northwest* are worth perusal: Although Montanians have been informed generally by those who have been there that the best time to visit the Yellowstone National Park is from August 20 to September 20, there are many, especially strangers, who do not know the fact or why it is so. The principal reason is that from the commencement of warm weather until Aug. 15, or 20, the mosquitoes and flies are very annoying; travelers are subject to very hot suns by day and chilling cold by night—a condition generally producing sickness—and there are frequent thunder storms and winds. By August 20 the insects generally disappear, the weather for the next month is generally clear, quiet and comfortable, with less extremes of heat and cold and consequently more healthy. Frequently in the park about September 20, there are snow storms, so it is well to be out by that time. We notice whoever planned the presidents trip understands the climate and he is likely to have a nice outing. Other visitors would do well to select about the same time. The park is big enough to hold 50,000 people without exhausting the pure air.

A fact probably but little known is that the United States metric pieces furnish a key to metric measures and weights. This coin is two centimeters in diameter, and its weight is five grammes. Five of them placed in a row will give the length of a decimeter, and two of them will weigh a decagramme. As a kilometer is a cubic meter, the key of the measure is also a key to a measure of capacity.

Dallas, Texas, has an able deputy sheriff. A prisoner escaped from the court room by leaping from a second story window. The telegraph tells us that he was "soon recaptured" by the able sheriff. And when we peruse the story a little farther, and discern that the prisoner, in his impact with the ground, had broken a leg and several ribs, and seriously injured his spinal column, we can readily believe that the able deputy sheriff really did recapture him "soon."

Proposed Abduction of the President.

Camp Buffalo Lake (W. T.) special to Chicago Tribune:—There are those who predict that an effort will be made by Indians or bands of robbers which are thick around here now to seize Mr. Arthur, carry him into the mountain fastnesses and hold him for ransom. The oldest stage-driver the *Tribune* correspondent has met is certain an attempt will be made, and thinks if conducted rightly the attempt will succeed.

A report is current that the Adjutant general of the United States army has called upon the states for information concerning the militia and the "time necessary to put an army of organized forces of 200,000 men in the field." It is surmised that a difficulty is likely to arise with Mexico, and that the government wants soldiers in readiness. In the event of a war of this kind, President Arthur would be sure of a re-election, and another slice of Mexican territory would probably be added to Uncle Sam's domains.

Up to August 4, thirty-five thousand claims for rebate under the tobacco tax law had been filed with the internal revenue department, amounting to some \$3,000,000. Ten of the smaller districts at that date had not filed their claims. These will add, it is thought \$500,000, making a rebate total of \$3,500,000. The two largest claims are put in by California firms, one being for \$46,000, the other for \$20,000. The reason is advanced why the claims from the Pacific slope are larger than from any other quarter is, that the factories are fewer in number and in consequence the dealers carry more stock.

The passengers on a Northern Pacific train recently had a thrilling experience. The train found its progress interrupted by the furious heat of burning wood-ricks along a considerable length of the track. The train stopped, and the rails were examined in order to determine if they had been warped. The conductor felt sure that he was right, and determined to go ahead. The Portland *Oregonian* tells the story as it was told by a passenger:

"We shut down the windows and closed the door tight just before we started, but the air inside the car was like the breath of a furnace, and the whole train seemed to be on fire. The flames licked the window glass savagely, and although it lasted only a few moments, it was an experience I shall never forget and never again wish to undergo. I can't help but think of the terrible danger we passed through. If one rail of the track beneath us, having been warped by the heat, had given way, we would every one of us have been roasted alive. It make me shudder even now."

"First Class Liquor Store For Sale."

The above quotation is taken from the New York Herald. It is the advertisement of a dramseller. A first class liquor store may suggest either the character of the place, or the quantity and character of the work done in it. If we read that a first class grocery is for sale, we know what that means; it means that only first class articles are kept and that only first class people patronize it. But how shall we determine what constitutes a first class liquor store? First-class liquor, we suppose, is the first water that does its work the most effectively. If there is any particular result that the drinker desires, it is that he may be made drunk. There is said to be seven stages of intoxication; one of these every man desires to reach who drinks at all. If the effect produced is to characterize the quality of liquor, then we know what first class liquor is; it is surely the kind that intoxicates most quickly. But how shall we determine the status of saloon patrons? In the schools the higher classes are those who have studied most; in the learned profession the first class are those whose knowledge and experience is greatest; and the patrons of liquor saloons by this rule, first class patrons will be those who have been intoxicated most frequently, who have passed through the most drunken bawls, who have beat and abused their families the most and who are the most ragged and filthy. We confess that we are a little mixed up as to what constitutes a first class liquor store.

Uses of Lumber.

Northwestern Lumberman: It is interesting to study the changes which are continually taking place in the use of lumber. White pine, which is king in the lumber world, is being jostled considerably in its very home. Yellow pine is crowding its way in, and hardwoods are receiving more of a recognition from year to year. The use of maple for flooring, and other hardwoods for finishing has passed beyond any experiment. It takes no effort to remember when walnut was the principal hardwood used, and that for furniture. "Finished in hardwood" is a comparatively new phrase, but one that is bound to be in men's mouths more and more as time goes on. Perhaps the most notable change which has occurred has been in red oak. From an utter valueless wood, it has taken a place up toward the head of the class. Its beauty was not until recently discovered, or rather that beauty was not duly considered until hardwoods for finishing became popular. The opinion has been expressed in certain directions that in time softwoods will again become the fashion, and the ingenuity of the grainer and the painter again called into service. It is unreasonable to look for such a change. Art is always a poor imitator of nature, and the more refined the wood grows the better it will understand this. No one can turn from the grain of natural wood to that produced with brush and paint except with a feeling of disappointment, and no one can take notice of the indentures in doors and window frames, made by the innocent but ruthless hands of children, without wishing that the surface of the wood were less easily marred. We can see no possibility of a retrograde movement, and such we should call it, if soft woods were to take the place of hardwoods in their present uses.

Chippewa Considerations.

William Bouga, one of the representatives of the Chippewa tribes of Indians, including six reservations, was in St. Paul on Friday last bearing instructions to Gen. Sibley, Ex-Gov. Marshall and Rev. Mr. Gillfillan, to the effect that a general council had been held at Leech Lake on the 2d of August to consider the question of having the dam built on Leech Lake and the Mississippi river. At the council the chiefs and head men decided not to have any dams built until their rights were settled. They also decided that, instead of one-half their dues being sent, the whole amount be sent for the year. Also that money be furnished to pay the expense of a deputation of Indians to visit Washington before next fall. They also complain that the new law book or regulations sent them a few days ago is too strict and cannot be enforced. They also ask that a new overseer, school teacher and interpreter be appointed. All these requests were embodied in a letter from Mr. Bouga to Hon. Hiram Price, commissioner of Indian affairs at Washington, D. C., asking that authority be granted for a delegation to visit Washington to settle all pending questions, and stating that the Indians are very anxious to have the question of damages caused by the reservoir dams settled immediately, and want an answer right away at Leech Lake.

The Next Lumber Sale.

Northwestern Lumberman: It is probable that at the next sale of the government pine land in Minnesota there will be a buyer for nearly every tree that is offered. Our Chippewa Falls, Wis., correspondent lets a little side light on the prospecting business as it is now going on in the St. Cloud and Duluth districts. We have known for some time that lumbermen outside of the northwestern pine states were preparing to be ready to take a hand in purchasing, and without doubt the competition will be decidedly warm. Some parties withdrew from the St. Cloud auction sale of a few months ago because their knowledge of the pine sold was so limited. They ascertained that there were men present who had been over every quarter section, knew what was of value, and what was not, thus giving a stranger to the lands a poor show. There were cries of fraud, favoritism, etc., but it has been pretty thoroughly demonstrated that any man present, who had money enough in his pocket, and wanted the lands at competition prices could get them. The men who knew what they were bidding on of course had a big advantage, but it is no sin for a man to be posted on pine, or anything else for that matter. Ignorance of quality and quantity of the pine will not cut much of a figure at the next sale, and when the auctioneer mounts the block there will be music in the air.

The Goelt family of New York have furnished a sensation—or are being inflicted with one, as the truth may prove to be. Old Peter Goelt, who lived alone in Broadway above Union square, and pastured a cow and kept poultry in his front yard, was always supposed to have been a bachelor, and when he died in 1879 his nephews, Robert and Ogden, inherited his millions. Now appears a woman calling herself Mrs. George Myers, and says that Peter Goelt was her father, and she wants his money. The story is that Goelt lived in Indiana for four years, was married in 1846, and that in 1847 this daughter was born to him.

His wife died three weeks after giving birth to the child, which was then left with a family named McElwee. Being childless they afterward convinced Goelt that the child was dead, and brought it up as their own. It is easy to see that here is a chance for a costly and sensational lawsuit, and the temper of the parties seems to indicate that such will be the result. A New York lawyer seems to be at the bottom of the case, and he claims to have been recently working upon it for three years before he found the heir.

NEWS COMMENTS.

A son of W. H. Vanderbilt is about to enter journalism as a police reporter.

Helena, Montana, is the wealthiest city in proportion to its population, of any city in the United States.

The engineer of the train bearing the presidential party ran between two New Jersey towns a single mile in thirty-three minutes.

Jay Gould says that he has \$5,000,000 to spend to defeat the strikers, and the boys are taking him even that they will make him drop it to the last dollar.

Peter McGeeoch, the speculator of Milwaukee, who slipped up in lard for several hundred thousand dollars, has gone into business again, with G. S. Everingham.

A military baggage wagon loaded with flour for the president's party was capsized the other day in a narrow canyon of the Yellowstone, about five miles from Livingston. The floor was mostly tumbled into the river. "Cast thy bread upon the waters, and it shall return to thee after many days,"—in your mind.

A curious well in Missoula county contains but eighteen inches of water, which never lowers an inch, though water is constantly pumped from it to supply a steam boiler. At a depth of thirty feet solid ice forms around the pipe in the hottest weather. As a strong draft of air comes from the bottom the well is supposed to tap a subterranean channel.

It is stated that the North Pacific company has, under its right of way, taken possession of the line of the Great Northern, between O'Fallon and Hagan, at McCarty's bridge, and that the Montana improvement company has a large force of men at work there, getting out line for the Missoula railroad buildings. The deposit is from a thermal spring of vast area, and is almost chemically pure—Livingston M. T., *Pioneer*.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Northfield now has a telephone exchange.

The Farmers' hotel at Hastings has been destroyed by fire.

Fires are reported in the pine woods in the northern part of the state.

The saloon of Ole Knudson of Albert Lea was burglarized Friday night.

A Commandery of Knight Templars will be started in Redwood Falls.

An organized gang of thieves are visiting the towns along the Northern Pacific.

Mrs. L. May Wheeler is lecturing in the southern part of the state on woman suffrage.

St. Cloud is to have a wagon manufacturing company with a capital stock of \$50,000.

The Buckman house of Sauk Rapids has been leased to Messrs. Buckham and Magner.

Dunn, the defaulting treasurer of Watonwan county, is supposed to be in South America.

John Murphy, wanted at Winona for larceny, has been arrested at Clinton, Iowa.

The thirteen townships in the Crookston land district is rapidly filling up with settlers.

James Seshay of Motley was probably fatally injured by a railway accident last week.

The state board of Charities and corrections paid a visit to the state prison at Stillwater last week.

The gambling room of Ed. McGee of Stillwater has been pulled, and the proprietor and five poker players arrested.

The Close Brothers have purchased all the railroad land in Nobles and Rock counties, and will boom and tenant every section.

The Fergus Falls *Journal* says that two Mormon missionaries are canvassing that portion of the state. Most of the converts are Scandinavians.

A Swede family living near Oakwood farm, Litchfield, was burned out last Monday, and a small child so seriously injured that it died in a few days.

Several farmers in the vicinity of Long Prairie have lost young calves of late from some cause unknown. The calves die suddenly, seeming well as usual only a short time before, and no one can give the cause of the trouble.

Detective Connors, of St. Paul, arrested a Sauk Rapids butcher out at Smith's road house Saturday night. The man, who gives his name as D. E. Wilson, had drawn \$1,050 on a bogus draft, which Geo. B. Rockwood had endorsed. He had spent a portion of the money betting on horse races, etc.

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 23, 1883.
Complaint having been entered at this office by Frank Veilleux against Daniel Stewart for alienating his homestead entry No. 1037, dated August 2, 1879, upon the sec. 34, township 43, range 33, in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 14th day of November, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 17th, 1883.
Complaint having been entered at this office by Frank Veilleux against Daniel Stewart for alienating his homestead entry No. 11599, dated April 6th, 1883, upon the sec. 1, township 43, range 33, in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 24th day of October, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 25th, 1883.
Complaint having been entered at this office by Daniel McDonald, George Billings, John Purcell, John Martin, the P. O. address of each of whom is Grand Rapids, Minn., against D. H. Freeman, Register, for alienating his homestead entry No. 11599, dated April 6th, 1883, upon the sec. 1, township 43, range 33, in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 24th day of October, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

NOTICE OF PRE-EMPTION, FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 25th, 1883.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. B. Sleeper, Clerk of the District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on Saturday Aug. 18, 1883, viz: Thomas Smith, pre-emption D. S. No. 5004 for the sec. 34, sec. 32, and 33, sec. 34, and sec. 34, sec. 32, N. 10, E. 12, W. of 4th p. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Daniel McDonald, Thomas Smith, John Purcell, George Billings, the P. O. address of all of whom is Grand Rapids, Minn.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert A. Schindler, Walter A. Schindler, Peter Belmer, Harry Patterson, P. O. of all Deerpark, Minn.

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For Lieutenant Governor,
CHARLES A. GILMAN,
of Stearns County.

For Secretary of State,
FRED. VON BAUMBACH,
of Douglas County.

For State Treasurer,
CHARLES KITTLESON,
of Freeborn County.

For Attorney General,
W. J. HAHN,
of Wabasha County.

For Railroad Commissioner,
JAMES H. BAKER,
of Blue Earth County.

It is stated that in Illinois a number of young men are waiting for the two-cent rate of postage before proposing to the girls, as a matter of economy.

Dukes and Nutt, of Uniontown, Pennsylvania, are both dead, but the discussion of the subject which lead to their being killed is still going on.

Ben. Butler says the governors of Massachusetts are underpaid.—If Ben wants to quit on that account there will be no lack of patriots ready to take the place.

The Northern Pacific has refused to accept cars from other roads that have no brake, on account of the steep and difficult grades east and west of the mountains.

The division superintendents of the Northern Pacific are at work preparing a transcontinental time card, to take effect August 24th.—The road will not be completed at that time, however.

McNair's store at Verndale was entered Tuesday night by burglars, who piled up silks, satins and other valuables, preparatory to moving them away. They were frightened away before they carted them off. A suspicious character was afterwards arrested, who had in his possession a satchel containing gold watches, chains, rings and jewelry, valued at \$1,000.

It is said that Ed. Maxwell, one of the notorious brothers who killed the Coleman brothers in Wisconsin two years ago, and were charged with other killings in Illinois, has been making his home for some time past on a farm near Blunt, in South Dakota. He claims that he is tired of being an outlaw and will become a good citizen if let alone.

Egypt is not destined to become a popular summer resort. In addition to cholera, leprosy is raging in several sections, deadly fevers are following in the track of the plague, an epidemic of carbuncles has broken out at Danietta, and to cap all the Nile has overflowed its banks, destroying the ripened crops and threatening widespread famine. England will find this a bad year to collect tribute in Egypt.

The completion of the Northern Pacific in September will be just ten years after the great financial disaster which stopped the enterprise and precipitated the commercial panic of 1873. At that time there was completed of the road 450 miles in Minnesota and Dakota and 150 miles in Washington territory. The road when completed will be nearly 2,000 miles long upon the main line and 600 upon its branches.

The Mullan tunnel on the Northern Pacific beyond Helena, was pierced the past week. This completes the Rocky mountain division. In twelve days more the last rail will be laid on the forty miles remaining. The last rail was laid on the Yellowstone park branch Monday, fifty and a quarter miles from Livingston and five and three-quarter miles from the park. The line will not be built nearer this season, as speculators and liquor dealers have secured certain grounds wanted. The fine hotel is open to the public.

Minneapolis has a sensational murder the body of Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews was found in a bad state of decomposition hidden away in a pantry of her home on Second street, near Turner Hall. A bloody axe was also found and a gash in her head showed how she met her death. A man named Mont and wife are suspected. She was supposed to be committed for a few hundred dollars which the woman possessed. The murder was discovered by the stench arising from her decomposed remains.

The Crops.

There is no longer any doubt but that there are excellent reasons for an improved and general hopeful outlook for the coming harvest.—The weather during the past two or three weeks has been all that could be desired, and has effected a wonderful and momentous improvement in the general condition of things. Up to the middle of July there was a good deal of inclination on the part of the farmers to take a somewhat despondent view of the future, owing to the continued dry weather, which seemed bound to put an effectual stop to the growth and development of grain. But just in the nick of time there came a series of refreshing rains that completely changed the aspect of affairs, and revived the drooping spirits of the agriculturists. Following these rains came a period of cool, dry weather which has lasted up to the present and brought a feeling of almost certainty that the crop will not only not prove a failure, but will be fully up to, if indeed it does not exceed, an average yield.

This is particularly true of the Red River valley, where the reports indicate an exceptionally favorable condition of the wheat crop. In the southern part of the State, also, everything points to an excellent harvest. The continued coolness of the weather has been exceedingly fortunate and auspicious, from the fact that it has prevented anything like rust or blight—dangers that are ever present and to be dreaded when the atmosphere is hot and moist. Despite some local reports of rust in a few southern counties, the wheat of the State seems to be in capital condition; and estimates of an average yield of fifteen bushels to the acre, which a few weeks ago seemed among the impossibilities, now appear to be by no means improbable. In some sections of the State it is thought that the yield will exceed this figure to a marked degree, but it is as yet, of course, too early to speak with any exactness. At present there only remains to the farmer, so far as can be seen, one element of danger, and that is a wet harvest. Should the weather prove very unfavorable it would necessarily make a decided difference in the results.

The Brainerd Churchman is circulated only among the churchmen of Brainerd and our missions. The criticism on this article in your last issue reached a larger and in the main a different class of readers. It seems but fair that they should see the article. Something more than bold and reckless assertions is necessary to convince the editor that the article is not in the main true. He wishes he could believe that the Baptist convention did not refuse to support the "American Bible Society" because it circulated "King James' version" without note or comment.

EDITOR BRAINERD CHURCHMAN.

A BAPTIST BIBLE. At a late convention of Baptists it was determined to print a Baptist version of the Scriptures that would reflect their views concerning baptism. They also refused to support the American Bible Society.

We believe the Christian world will condemn this step. If not, and sects may translate the word of God to suit their peculiar views, the mass of people will be asking before long which is true. The common standard will be taken from them, and all reverence for the Divine word will be thrown aside, because God's Book will come to be considered the Baptists' book, etc., of no more force than their opinions. Men honestly ask to-day: Where shall I turn to find the true Church, so many voices cry. So to it will come to be concerning the word of God, if the step taken by the Baptists is not condemned by common consent.

But this step reveals the real essence of sectarianism. For many years the best scholars on both sides of the water have been engaged in revising the King James version. With thousands of verbal changes, that they saw fit to consider the word baptism represents the original Greek better than immersion. Their impartial judgment should have more weight than the partial opinions of any Christian body. It ought to have shown the Baptists that perhaps their zeal was carrying them beyond their sober judgment. But no! the combined wisdom of the revision committee is set at naught. They have acted on the same principle that leads individuals to close their ears to every truth they don't like. Men show a great deal of self-will about what they will believe. "None are to blind as those who won't see." The result is many make truth to be what they will, and not what God will.—This has been the principal on which every sect has been built.—God wills that all should be one—man wills that he will divide Christendom to perpetuate his views. Our Baptist brethren have shown this weakness in human nature in their late action. To perpetuate their views, and to show how free-willed (we were going to say self-willed) they are, they have been willing to open a flood gate that would take away the authority of the word of God from the masses, and destroy the reverence due the Sacred Book by breaking that common bond that has held the Christian world together.—Brainerd Churchman.

Kindred's Manhood.

Mr. Kindred expressed his belief that Mitchell, of the Duluth Tribune was not guilty of any intentional fraud against the United States, and also sympathized with a believed to be honest man who was so foolishly dealt with. If anything could prove a real man this will. The Duluth Tribune was one of the most bitter and scandalous opponents of Mr. K. during the campaign last fall, heaping all manner of the vilest abuse upon him. But good is returned for evil.—Sault Centre Tribune.

I need my knees in the sand;
My heart—she has gone before;
The print of her foot is before me, and
I measure it o'er and o'er.
Look, how the lines of strength
Cross it from side to side;
Just a short eighteen inches in length
And eight and three-quarters wide.

Twenty years ago a Louisville man swore that he would never marry until women should acquire sufficient good manners not to go abreast over a crossing, and not to occupy the entire width of the sidewalk. The horrid wretch is still single.—Courier-Journal.

A little kiss,
A little bliss,
A little ring—it's ended.
A little law,
A little jaw,
And lo! the bonds are ended.
Cries Sylvia to a reverend dean,
"What reason can be given,
Since marriage is a holy thing,
That there are none in heaven?"
"There are no women," he replied.
She quick returns the jest;
"Women there are; but I'm afraid
They cannot find a priest."

Is it becoming to me? asked she, as she paraded in the costume of 100 years ago, before the man who is not her lord and master, but is her husband. "Yes, my dear," said he, meekly. "Don't you wish I could dress this way all the time?" she asked. "No, my dear," he replied; "but I wish you had lived when that was the style."

"I'm proud of this town," said a little man, sitting before the stove, with a pipe in his mouth. "Proud of it?" repeated the stranger at the bar, who turned as he heard the words and gazed at the speaker with a look of contempt. "What are you proud of it for?" "That's an easy one," returned the little man. "There are four cemeteries here, and I've got a wife into every one of 'em."

Phrases About Women.

WRINKLES disfigure a woman less than ill-nature.—Dunlop.

WOMAN is an idol that man worships until he throws it down.

WOMEN love always; when earth slips from them they take refuge in heaven.

The whisper of a beautiful woman can be heard farther than the loudest call of duty.

Of all things that man possesses, women alone take pleasure in being possessed.—Mather.

BEFORE promising a woman to love only her one should have seen them all, or should only see her.—Dunlop.

We meet in society many beautiful and attractive women whom we think would make excellent wives—for our friends.

We ensure the inconstancy of women when we are the victims; we find it charming when we are the objects.—L. Desnoyers.

The highest mark of esteem a woman can give a man is to ask his friendship; and the most signal proof of her indifference is to offer him hers.

It is not easy to be a widow; one must renounce all the modesty of girlhood, without being allowed to feign its ignorance.—Madame de Girardin.

At 20 man is less a lover of woman than of women; he is more in love with the sex than with the individual, however charming she may be.—Retif de la Bretonne.

Men are so fearful of wounding a woman's vanity that they rarely remember that she may, by some possibility, possess a grain of common sense.—Miss Braddon.

WOMEN of the world never use harsh expressions when condemning their rivals. Like the savage, they hurl elegant arrows, ornamented with feathers of purple and azure, but with poisoned points.

A NEW FINE OF STRATEGY.

David Swing, in his *It Once*, tells how a bride refuses her profane husband. She had to be bridesmaids, four in number, to a great dinner. As they knew of the profane habits of the groom, and also of his poor qualities, they entered gladly into the proposed comedy.

The plan was that these beautiful women should use profane words at the table, as the hot coffee or hot weather or slow servants might afford opportunity. It was a bold plan, but it is said to have cured the wicked husband; for when his dearest wife applied a profane word to the biscuit, and a fair guest made a like remark of the coffee, and still another applied a profane expletive to the movements of a servant, the husband absolutely cried with remorse that he had ever used such an outrageous form of speech. Prof. Swing thinks that "while such a cure cannot be justified, because it kills the ladies without curing the masculine offender, yet the story itself may serve to show that man as an animal that swears is a mournful curiosity."

A REASONABLE OFFER.

Together they were looking over the paper. "Oh, my, how funny," she said. "What is it?" he asked. "Why here's an advertisement that says: 'No reasonable offer refused.'"

"What's so odd about that?" "Nothing, nothing," she replied, trying to blush, "only those are exactly my sentiments." If that young man hadn't taken the hint and proposed right then and there she would have hated him.

CUTTING THE PRESIDENT'S TROUSERS.

"They say" that the President's idiosyncrasy is the cut of his trousers; that he had a tailor from New York to cut him a pair, and was so pleased with the immaculate fit of them that he made the man cut eight pairs of them before he left; also, that the material was first laid down on the floor, and then the President was laid down on it, and, when one side was cut, the tailor deftly flopped him over as if he had been a griddle cake, and cut the other side.—New York World.

COLLISIONS at sea may be prevented by using balloons, says Mr. John H. Schultz, of New York, who proposes that all vessels be provided with balloons of sufficient capacity to take a person high enough above the fog to see the balloons of other vessels in the vicinity, whose relative positions he can communicate to the ship's officer.

"My hearers," began the lecturer, "I trust —" Before he could proceed farther a babel of voices shouted: "We'll trade with you, mister; we'll trade with you. Never you fear that." The ignorant citizen thought he was going to open a grocery in town, and that he had risen to announce the fact.—Boston Transcript.

A "CORNER ON ONIONS" is being worked up, and it is thought that before long they will be so high that a fellow who calls on his best girl can leave his hat in the hall and settle himself for the evening without fear.—Evening News.

PRESERVING EGGS.

Several ways of preserving eggs are practiced. The object is to prevent evaporation from the egg. Cutting off the air from the contents of the egg preserves them longer than will any other treatment. An egg which has lain in bran even for a few days will smell and taste musty. Packed in lime eggs will be stained. Covered with a coat of spirit varnish eggs have kept so perfectly that after the lapse of two years chickens were hatched from them. A good egg will sink in a body of water; if stale, a body of air inside the shell will frequently cause it to float. When boiled a fresh egg will adhere to the shell, which will have a rough exterior; if stale, the outside will be smooth and glassy.

Looking through a paper tube directed toward the light an egg held to the end of the tube will appear translucent if fresh; but if stale it will be dark—almost opaque.

Spirit varnish for preserving eggs is made by dissolving gum shellac in enough alcohol to make a thin varnish. Coat each egg with this and pack, little end down, so that they cannot move, in bran, sawdust, or sand; the sand is best. Whatever is used for packing should be clean and dry. For preserving in lime a pickle is made of the best stone lime, fine, clean salt and water enough to make a strong brine, usually sixty or sixty-five gallons of water, six or eight quarts of salt, and a bushel of lime are used. The lime should be slacked with a portion of the water, the salt and remainder of the water is then added. Stir at intervals, and when the pickle is cold and the sediment has settled dip or draw the liquid off into the cask in which the eggs are to be preserved. When only a few eggs are to be pickled a stone jar will answer.

HOW TO STOP A PAPER.

The following, from one of our exchanges, so fully and clearly expresses our views on the subject, that we copy it without comment: "You have an undoubted right to stop a newspaper when you feel disposed, upon the payment of all arrearsages. To not hesitate to do so on account of 'tenderness for the editor. Don't you suppose he would stop buying sugar of you, or meat, clothing or dry goods, etc., if he thought he was not getting his money's worth, and why should you not exercise the same privilege with him? And when you discontinue a paper, do so manfully. Don't be so spiteful as to throw it back to the Postmaster with a contemptuous 'I don't want it any longer' and have 'I read' written on the margin, and have the paper returned to the editor. No gentleman ever stopped it in that way, no matter if his head is covered with gray hairs that should be honorable. If you do not longer wish to receive a newspaper, write a note to the editor like a man, saying so—and be sure that arrearsages are paid. This is the way to stop a newspaper."

FRIENDSHIP'S TIE.

"The prisoner was a friend of mine," said the witness in answer to a question of the counsel for the prosecution. "Do you desire the court and jury to believe that you are well acquainted with him?" "No; I can't say that I am." "Well, what are we to understand then by the statement that he was a friend of yours?" "Just this," continued the witness; he borrowed \$5 of me once and never returned it."

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Police Justices—S. Rensald, J. B. Donigan.
Chief of Police—Varnum.
Police—Wm. Shoutell. — Fulton.

COUNCIL.

First Ward—Ed. R. Jones.
Second Ward—D. Snipp, G. W. Lowe.
Third Ward—Thos. Watts, Geo. Forsyth.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Auditor—F. B. Thompson.
County Clerk—N. C. Smith.
Clerk District Court—B. D. Sleeper.
Sheriff—John Reiter.
Judge of Peace—H. D. Folselt.
Register of Deeds—M. McFadden.
County Assessor—J. W. Toland.
Recorder—S. H. Reiff.
Coroner—J. H. Homer.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

We received a call from Mr. Metzger, the friend of Metzger Bros., on Tuesday. These gentlemen will put in a jewelry store in the same room with C. M. Patek's clothing store. They will carry a large line of watches, clocks, and jewelry, and have the reputation of being first-class workmen. Everyday brings new institutions to Brainerd's business circle, and we welcome them all.

Prof. and Mrs. C. E. Atcherson, have an announcement in this week's issue, to which the attention of the dancing community is called. This is a grand opportunity to become proficient in this art, and as they come very highly recommended they will undoubtedly obtain a large class. Their opening is this afternoon and evening in Hartley Hall.

The Jay Rial Combination which has been entertaining the theatre going public of Brainerd this week were received with a hearty welcome. The play on Saturday evening was East Lynne, and the acting was exceedingly affecting, and many a tear could be seen trickling down the faces of the more interested of the listeners. The other plays were correspondingly well carried out.

What came very near being a fatal accident befell a little daughter of Mr. Walter Davis last Monday. It seems that water had been used out of the cistern and it had been neglected to shut the cover on it. The little girl was missed and search was made and she was found in the bottom of the cistern nearly drowned. She was gotten out and brought home with considerable effort, and will probably come out all right. It was lucky that the accident was no worse, for a few moments more would have proved fatal.

The sparring match at the Garden Theatre last Saturday night, resulted in favor of Banker. Mr. B. seems to be a much better boxer than his opponent, Gen. Lafond had expected, and did the thing up by knocking him down five or six times until the fifth round, when he concluded to get in his work in earnest and knocked his opponent off the stage twice, the last time hurling him clear out of sight down the back stairs, and "Beecher" failed to come to time again, evidently having had enough.

The new firm that has bought out Armstrong Bros. have an announcement in the DISPATCH which we ask our readers to peruse. They have the finest location in the city, next door to the post-office on 6th street, and will put in the largest stock ever brought to Brainerd. The tailoring department will be carried on under the supervision of Mr. A. J. Armstrong who has been retained by the firm. They will continue to please their patrons and give entire satisfaction and parties who are in need of clothing of any description should give them a call before ordering elsewhere.

Quite an exciting runaway occurred at the mill of J. J. Howe & Co., on Saturday last, although it did not result fatally to man or beast. The wagon was loaded with brick moulds that in some way fell and started the team, throwing off John and the yard boss, and shaking things up generally. The teamster Joseph Sawyer was somewhat riled and cursed the yard boss in French, while the boss made the air blue with German swear words. All four wheels ran over John and the hole he made in the mud has filled up with water, and the mill company are thinking of using it to boom logs in the coming season.

We are in receipt of a circular of the O. G. T. which gives the following particulars of the second session of the 12th district lodge:

The second session of the 12th District lodge will be held with Verndale Lodge, No. 89, I. O. G. T., on Friday and Saturday, August 24th and 25th, 1883, at Verndale, Minn. The territory included in the Twelfth District comprises the counties of Todd, Crow Wing, Cass and Wadena, and all lodges in Otter Tail county to towns on or near the Northern Pacific Railroad. Each lodge is entitled to one representative for every twenty members in fraction thereof. All members of the order, in good standing, whether delegates or not, are entitled to be present. All delegates who attend this session will be entertained free of charge.

Quarterly Meetings.

Four quarterly meeting services will be held at the church as follows: Love sang at 9:30 a. m. on next Sabbath, preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m., after which the sacraments will be administered. The official board will meet on Wednesday evening the 22d inst., Dr. F. F. Chaffee, presiding elder, presiding.

Picnic and Festival.

The Baptist Sunday school will hold its annual picnic next Saturday on the island in Gilbert lake, commencing at 9 o'clock in the morning. A boat will run all day from this end of the lake to the island, and carry all persons free. There will be a free dinner at noon. In the afternoon, for amusement, there will be some tub races, etc. In the evening there will be a festival. Supper will be served from six to eight. Price 25 cents. Lemnadae, fruits, etc., will be for sale all day. Come and have a good time whether you are well attended the Baptist church or not.

Well Dressed Man and Something Concerning the Emporium into Which he Tumbled, and was Suited with the Fall.

As education and refinement increases the desire to dress well increases, and Brainerd is not by no means behind in this important respect, as might easily be observed by a stroll among the pedestrians who enliven the thoroughfares, especially in the Sabbath. No one, unless he has given the subject especial attention realizes how many of the evidences of good taste were the production of the acknowledged leaders of fashions, Armstrong Bros., one door south of the post-office.

Church Festival.

The Swedish Lutherans will give an ice cream and raspberry festival in their church, corner of Broadway and Norwood streets, on Saturday evening, August 25th. This society is making strenuous efforts to finish and pay its beautiful church edifice, and will be glad to see a large attendance at the festival. The

Sealed Proposals Invited.

Bids for proposals for the renting of the new store and basement in the Odd Fellows' block in the city of Brainerd will be received until August 22, 1883, at 5 o'clock p. m. of that day, said proposals state what rent will be paid by the bidder monthly in advance, and said bidder to state what business he wishes to carry on in said building. Bidders will be required to furnish responsible references if not personally known to the trustees. Bids for the store will be made separate from bids for the basement, and all bids are required to be for a term of not less than three years, and must be addressed to the secretary of the board of trustees, Ed. R. French, Post-office box 194, Brainerd, Minn., and endorsed across the end of the envelope as follows: "Bid for Odd Fellows' store or basement." The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., July 26th, 1883.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof is to be made before C. B. Siesper, Clerk of the District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on Saturday next, to-wit: August 1st, 1883, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. To-wit:

No. 3093, for the n.w. sec. 13, T. 60 N., E. of R. 27, range 4th p.m.

The following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Darius M. Manning, Pre-emption Notice, John Perrell, George Billings, the P. O. address of all of whom is Frank Rapids, Minn.; J. H. Freeman, Register.

D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Seaton, Walter Howard, Charles Hayden, Jesse Roy, Postoffice of Brainerd, Minn.

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He names the following witnesses, to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Seaton, Walter Howard, Charles Hayden, Harry Patterson, Post office of New Sweden, Minn.

D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., August 11th, 1883.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Brainerd, Minn., on September 20, 1883, viz: Thomas H. Russell of Crow Wing county, for the n.w. sec. 4 and s.e. sec. 4, section 29, range 10, township 40, north of range 10.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Frank B. Thompson, Mr. Padman, Mr. Baughman, according to the plat thereof recorded.

Not therefore, notice is hereby given that under, and by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage, and the premises therein described-to-wit: Parcel 41, 46 in Block A of the City of Brainerd, in the town of East Brainerd, now a part of the City of Brainerd, lying between the plat thereof recorded and file in the Registry of Deeds of public County aforesaid, will be sold by the sheriff of the County of Itasca, to satisfy the amount of the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the court house in the City of Brainerd at ten o'clock in the morning of the 2nd day of September, 1883, to satisfy the amounts due on said mortgages, including also the sum of Twenty Dollars and the costs of sale.

LEON E. LUM,
Assignee of Mortgage

G. W. HOLLAND,
Attorney.

Sidewalk Notice.

To all persons owning property fronting on the west side of Main street, from Fourth street east to Ninth avenue in the city of Brainerd:

You are hereby notified that sidewalk pavement is required to be built on Main street, north side, from Third street south to Ninth avenue, on or before the 1st day of September, 1883, and you are required to build the same in front of your property.

R. G. SPARKS,
City Clerk.

Sidewalk Notice.

To all persons owning real estate on Broadway or Eighth streets in the city of Brainerd:

You are hereby notified that sidewalk pavement by resolution of the city Council a sidewalk is required to be constructed on Broadway or Eighth streets, north side, from Cliff avenue east to Second street, on or before September 1st, 1883, and you are required to build said sidewalk in front of your property.

R. G. SPARKS,
City Clerk.

NOTICE FOR SALE OF LAND.
LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN., August 13th, 1883.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof is to be made before C. B. Siesper, Clerk of the District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on September 1st, 1883, viz: Thomas H. Russell of Crow Wing county, for the n.w. sec. 4 and s.e. sec. 4, section 10, township 40, north of range 10.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Frank B. Thompson, Mr. Padman, Mr. Baughman, according to the plat thereof recorded.

Not therefore, notice is hereby given that under, and by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage, and the premises therein described-to-wit: Parcel 41, 46 in Block A of the City of Brainerd, in the town of East Brainerd, now a part of the City of Brainerd, lying between the plat thereof recorded and file in the Registry of Deeds of public County aforesaid, will be sold by the sheriff of the County of Itasca, to satisfy the amount of the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the court house in the City of Brainerd at ten o'clock in the morning of the 2nd day of September, 1883, to satisfy the amounts due on said mortgages, including also the sum of Twenty Dollars and the costs of sale.

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City Notice.

Bids for building sidewalks to be built by the City of Brainerd, Minn., under contract No. 1889 will be received at my office up to August 18th, 1888. All proposals to be sealed and accompanied by a bond in the sum of \$500, with atleast one responsible surety, conditioned for the performance of the contract. Bids are to be paid in advance. The sidewalk to be constructed along the west side of Main street, from the railroad crossing to Ordinance. Sidewalks to be constructed according to ordinance, using 30 p. spikes and cross-plates to be similar to those already constructed, using 60 p. spikes. All bids to be let common.
J. R. G. SPARKS, City Clerk,
34-2t

Notice.

To A. A. White and all others interested in, or affected by the vacation of that part of Bluff avenue, hereinafter particularly described, in the city of Brainerd, Crow Wing county, Minnesota. Take notice that application has been made to vacate certain lots and streets in said city, as evidenced by more than twenty residents and freeholders thereof, to have that part of Bluff avenue hereinafter described, vacated; and that said council at their regular meeting to be held September 1st, 1888, at 8 o'clock p. m., in the chambers in said city, will appoint three commissioners to view the premises proposed to be vacated and determine whether it is necessary to vacate said premises, and make report thereon as required by law.
The premises proposed to be vacated are described as follows to-wit: A strip of land twenty feet wide to be taken off the west and south sides of Bluff avenue, a street in said city, and extending from the north end of Main street, to the east and west to the westerly line of Water street.
W. H. FREEMAN, Register,
D. H. MITCHELL, Receiver,
34-4t
Dated August 8th, 1888.

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, ST. CLOUD, MINN.
Aug. 6, 1888.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Joseph Dorosier against James V. McBoe for abandoning his homestead entry No 11273, dated April 11, 1881, upon the 29th day of November last, township 43, range 32, in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 12 day of November, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.
D. H. FREEMAN, Register,
D. H. MITCHELL, Receiver,
34-5t

Notice.

LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN.
Aug. 6, 1888.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Joseph Gavin against T. H. Harris for abandoning his homestead entry No. 11273 dated April 11, 1881, upon the 29th day of November last, township 43, range 32, in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 12 day of November 1888 at 10 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.
D. H. FREEMAN, Register,
D. H. MITCHELL, Receiver,
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Mortgage Sale.

Default has been made in the payment of a certain promissory note executed for the sum of one hundred and fifteen and 34-100 dollars, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crow Wing county, Minnesota, at 12:30 o'clock p. m., and as duly recorded in book "C" of mortgages, on page 10.

Said mortgage was made to secure the payment of certain promissory notes executed for the sum of one hundred and fifteen and 34-100 dollars; said mortgagor B. Sleeper, wife of Charles B. Sleeper, and said mortgagees are hereby summoned to appear herein contained and the statutes in such case applicable to foreclose, the proceeds of sale of said property described to-wit: Lots six (6) seven (7) eight (8) nine (9) ten (10) eleven (11) twelve (12) thirteen (13) fourteen (14) fifteen (15) sixteen (16) seventeen (17) eighteen (18) nineteen (19) twenty (20) twenty-one (21) twenty-two (22) twenty-three (23) twenty-four (24) and lot seven (7), eight (8) nine (9) and ten (10) in block five (5) in Sleeper's addition to the town, now city of Brainerd, according to the record plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crow Wing county and state of Minnesota, and further, the pre-paid tax on section 10, township 43, range 32, in Crow Wing county, Minnesota, to-wit: Lots six (6) seven (7) eight (8) nine (9) ten (10) eleven (11) twelve (12) thirteen (13) fourteen (14) fifteen (15) sixteen (16) seventeen (17) eighteen (18) nineteen (19) twenty (20) twenty-one (21) 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WOMAN GOSSIP.
The Miller's Wooing.
"Love me little, love me long,
Sing the dusty miller
To his wheat art, and his song
Did a maise and thrill her."
"Did me barley hope, oh, give
Me one grain of corn;
I would eat on thee and live
Holding on to some fork."
"In your eyes now love looks shine,
There lies secret pleasure,
Oh! honey joys are mine,
Filling up my measure."
Came the maiden's corn-fall laugh
At the miller's wooing;
"You can't winnow girls with chaff—
Sir! to you good morning."
A New Style of Wedding Cake.
At a wedding in Chicago, the bride
cake was built in four tiers. Around
the lowest of these six satin bows
were arranged, each hung on a pearl button,
which formed the handle to a diminutive
drawer. Just before the cutting of the
cake each of the half-dozen bridesmaids
laid her hand upon a bow and drew
out the drawer, which, needless to say,
contained a pretty gift.

The Medical Profession for Women.
This is the only business or profession
that is not overdone, and cannot be for
many years to come. Every town of
over 3,000 inhabitants ought to support
a good woman physician. Every city
ought to support one to each 5,000 in-
habitants. The demand, too, for able
teachers to lecture upon hygiene and
physiology is on the increase and cannot
be supplied for a century to come. Hun-
dreds of women possessed of talent, edu-
cation and experience, desirous of a
financial independence and dissatisfied
with a do-nothing life, ought to enter
the medical profession, and could do so
profitably.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

While New England journals are
loaded with long-winded efforts to tell
where and how woman can enjoy the
independence for which she is supposed to
long, a Western editor has solved the
problem by suggesting the kitchen. If
any one doubts the correctness of this
view let him invade his own kitchen and
attempt to assert authority. He may be
a tyrant in the parlor and a nuisance
in the dining-room, but in the kitchen
woman reigns supreme, no matter
whether she is a feeble wife or a brawny
servant. It is strange that women never
made this brilliant discovery for them-
selves, for any one of them who has
hired help in the kitchen knows that the
servant is autocrat in her own domain,
and before her the queen of the rest of
the house is but a poor, timid, fluttering
creature. But such independence im-
plies the ability to work in the kitchen,
and of this the American knows about
as much as she of Patagonia, who has no
kitchen at all.—*New York Herald.*

A Defense of Modern Women.
Let no man say that the change of
woman from the sentimental, insipid
and angelic creature of the last century
to the vigorous and hearty person of to-
day is a change that begins and ends
with eating and drinking habits. Let
the pessimists say what they will, the
present is an age of genuineness and
candor. There is less mock modesty,
less of the humbug of seeming, than in
any generation that has gone before us,
if we may accept as true the pictures of
life given us by Smollet, Fielding, Fanny
Burney, Thackeray and the writers of
the time of Queen Anne. The civilized
world admires the delicate and fragile
beauty of American women. But it is
the pride of the country that feeds the
world with beef, grain and game that
the rare flower of American loveliness is
no hot-house plant, reared in a nicely-
adjusted atmosphere. The womanliness
and the manliness of our country spring
from a rich and nutritive soil. We have
the best provision for the table in the
world.—*New York Times.*

Fizzes, Bungs and Powder.
It being generally known that no col-
lection would be taken up, there was an
unusually large attendance of Lime-
kilners, and when the bell rang the
audience to order, every bench seemed
taken. Brother Gardner looked the
picture of perfect health as he shook the
kinks out of his spine and said:
"Gentlemen, what am dat objeck on dat
sky-blue stool ober dar?" "Dat's de
water-pail," was the answer. "Jess so,
gentle-ness. If dat pail was painted red
or blew, what would it be?"
"Nuffin' but a pail." "Jess so, again.
If we shud paint dat pail, an' fresco de
handle, an' silver-plate de hoops an' call
it de Tower of London, it wouldn't be de
Tower any moar dan it is now. We is all
agreed on dat—all but de women. My
ole woman, who am black as de one-spot
ob spades, lame in de left leg, and wid
no moash bewty dan de hind end of a
butcher-cart, frizzes a curl over her left
ear, ties a red ribbon round her front,
puts on a bustle, squeezes her corset till
she can't holler, and sails down de street
wid de idea in her ear dat she's a turkey
ob de fust water. She reckons dat no-
body can gaze on her widout a shiver of
admiration, and dat folks will re-magine
dat I own all de corner lots on de Wash-
ington. But she's nuffin' but my ole woman
an' after all—nuffin' but a bundle ob
aches. Walk out on de street, and what
d'ye see? Ebery female in de lan' rubs
paint on her cheeks and powder on her
face. Dey frizz der hair, squeeze up on
deir corsets, nip along on deir toes, an'
deir hull air is to deceive de men into
believein' dat dey am han'sum and lubly.
De uglier and meaner lookin' de woman
am, de moat she frizzes and de harder
she nips. De less money dey hab to
dress on, de richer de duds are, an' de
moar jewelry dey ware aroun'. A man
stan's up in de broad light ob day, an'
de whole worl' can see if he's humbly,
an' ugly, an' lame, an' sneaky, but de
woman sails along in a cloud ob gorgue-
ness, an' de lameness and de deception
doun' come out until after she's got you
fas'. If a pig is a pig, why should we
call him a cook-stove? If a woman is a
woman, why de need of all dis paint an'
powder an' pippin' aroun'? De white
man doun' appreciate it, de nigger is sick
ob it, an' I tell you, gentle-ness, dat de
white man comin' when dis country am
gwine to sigh mighty hard for a return ob
de days when a clean calico dress an'
a healthy woman went roun' in company."

Dimples Manufactured to Order.
Some poet it was who said that when-
ever a man has a dimple in his chin then
Venus is his friend, but maybe that
rule won't hold good in these days when
dimples are manufactured by art. For
there is a place on O'Fallen street in
this city where dimples are made to or-
der. I went there out of curiosity. I
was shown into a parlor somewhat re-
sembling a dentist's operating-room.
There was a glass case full of bottles,
washes and wigs and a regular dentist's
chair that suggested a world of comfort.
This sign was displayed over the fire-
place: "M. Alphonse Pondunk, Im-
prover and Beautifier, from Paris."
A dapper little gent in a velvet cut-
away coat and deep purple neckcloth,
whose face wore a complacent smirk,
claimed the name as his.
I had fully suggested the dimple ques-
tion and asked for some points. I real-
ly did want a dimple in my arm, and
told him so. But I insinuated my dis-
belief in his ability to produce the neces-
sary article.
Whereupon he convinced me by prac-
tice. This is how it was done:
My arm being bare and the exact spot
indicated, he placed a small glass tube,
the orifice of which was extremely small,
upon the spot. This tube had working
within it a piston, and was so small that
when the handle was drawn up the air
was exhausted from the tube and it ad-
hered to the flesh, raising a slight pro-
truberance. Around this raised portion
Monsieur Alphonse daintily tied a piece
of scarlet silk, and then took away his
suction machine. The little point of
skin which was thus raised he sliced off
with a wicked-looking knife, bringing
the blood.
I tried hard not to scream, but it was
so unexpected I had to.
Then he bound up the arm, placing
over the wound a small silver object like
an inverted cone, the point of which was
rounded and polished. This little point
was adjusted so as to depress the exact
center of the cut.
Then he told me to go away and not
touch the spot until the next day. When
I came at that time he dressed my arm
again, and this operation was repeated
for five days, when the wound was
healed. The silver cone was removed,
and there, sure enough, beneath it was
the prettiest dimple in the world! And
all John had to pay for it was ten dol-
lars.
Now, theoretically considered, dimples
are most entrancing. Cleopatra
had a dimple directly over her heart,
and Antony said that it was the mark
made by the lips of Eros, who kissed her
at her birth. Ninon de l'Enclos had
dimpled toes which were renowned for
their sea-shell pinkness and beauty.
Helen of Troy had a large dimple on her
left shoulder, and Anna Dickinson has
one on the end of her nose. A woman
without dimples is never even seen of
one of her kind; with them they come
in dozens.—*Rosamond, in San Fran-*
cisco Truth.

Feminine Small Talk.
DISCREET wives have sometimes nei-
ther eyes nor ears.
DR. ANNA WARREN, of Emporia, Kan-
sas, makes \$3,000 a year by the practice
of medicine.
THE Yonkers Statesman discusses
"Women as Wives." The idea seems
feasible.—*Norristown Herald.*
MRS. MARY DURANT, of Elkhart, Ind.,
blind for twenty-five years, claims that
her eye-sight was restored through
prayer.
A DOUBTFUL statement is afloat in the
papers to the effect that cigarette and
cigar smoking among all classes of Bos-
ton women is becoming general.
THERE is a girl in Plymouth county,
Mass., who had eighteen different lovers,
and not one of them ever got his arm
around her. She weighs 384 pounds.
THE daughter of the late Commodore
Maury, who assisted him in the com-
pilation of his well-known geographical
series, is a school teacher in Richmond.
THE dislocated leg of a man at Lela-
ette, Ind., was treated by a woman phy-
sician as though it had been fractured.
He demands \$10,000 damages, the mis-
take having crippled him for life.
MRS. TULLER, the wife of the Sec-
retary of the Interior, is tall and slender,
with black hair and the blackest of
black eyes, and is the possessor of an
unusually gentle and attractive manner.
"THE most beautiful woman in Wash-
ington" is the wife of the Swedish Min-
ister, Countess Levenhaupt. She is a
delicate and slender blonde, with fair
complexion, golden hair and blue eyes.
TWENTY-FIVE women physicians in
Russia who took part in the military
operations of 1877 have been decorated
with royal honors. The number of fe-
male medical students in Russia is said
to be rapidly increasing.
MRS. CHANDLER, the wife of the new
Secretary of the Navy, is a delicate but
handsome woman, with a fine and re-
fined face lighted by large black eyes
and framed in heavy black locks. Her
carriage and her manner are full of dig-
nity.
A WOMAN was committed for contempt
of court by a New York Police Justice
because of her refusal to take an oath or
testify in a case of assault. "Judge,"
said she, "I never took an oath in my
life, and I'm not going to take one now.
These people can settle their difficulties
without calling me in."
A WOMAN who does all her own house-
work, attends to seven children and
turns her dresses half a dozen times to
make both ends meet, may be a good
Christian, but when a lady in a \$1,000
carriage and a \$500 dress halts at the
door and asks her to subscribe to some
charitable object she can hardly be ex-
pected to act and talk like one.
THEODORE PARKER once said he re-
garded it as far more favorable to the
prosperity of a country, the erection of
a saw-mill than the arrival of a painter
and a poet.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN.,
July 21, 1883.
Notice is hereby given that the following named
settler has filed notice of his intention to claim
the land in support of his claim, and that said
proof will be made before C. B. Sleeper, clerk of
the District court at Brainerd, Minn., on August
21, 1883, viz: Henry F. Phelps of Crow Wing
county Minn., for the s. 1/2 sec. 26, T. 44, R. 32E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his
continuous residence upon, and cultivation of
said land, viz: John Chisholm, Chas Bailey, R.
B. Aiken, John Martin, F. O. Address of all
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32-51. D. H. FREEMAN, Register.

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Notice.
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT ST. CLOUD, MINN.,
July 17, 1883.
Complaint having been entered at this Office by
E. E. Jones against William G. Costello for aban-
doning a homestead entry No. 11229, dated
Sept. 5, 1881, upon the s. 1/2 sec. 7, n. 1/2 sec. 34
section 8, Township 43, Range 31, in Crow Wing
county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of
said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned
to appear at this Office on the 23d day of October,
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